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Big Blue Is Back!

On August 29, 1978, the doors of Northfield High School opened as they always had in past years. As nearly 800 students from Lagro, Metro North, Roann, and Urbana filed in the building they couldn't help wondering what the new school year would bring with a new principal. It wasn't long before they found out. At the student body assembly the first day, the new principal, Tom Miller, expressed his optimistic view of the coming school year and stressed the three characteristics he hoped the student body would develop . . . spirit, pride, and sportsmanship. Students "picked up" on his enthusiasm and accepted the many changes he instituted.

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#1. Northfield was proud to receive Mr. Tom Miller as the new principal. Mr. Miller was the force behind the creation of spirit, pride, and sportsmanship.

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#2. Special spirit badges were designed and worn by each class to show their spirit during an athletic event.

#3. Mrs. Clark's room won the "decorate the door" contest held during the week of the sectional. Mr. Wenrich and Mr. Price's rooms took second and third places.

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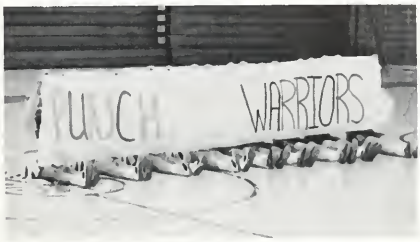
#4. This is where it all happens. From September to May NHS students live and learn behind these doors.

#5. The cheerleaders know just the right touch to fire up the student body and football team for another big victory.



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#6. The mighty Norse football team is on the go again.

#7. Duane Wilcox's center position on the basketball team could be threatened by Jay Biehl's sudden growth spurt.

A Year of Changes

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#1. The parking arrangement was changed in the east parking lot.

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#2. Mr. Price passes out senior T-shirts to Tim Shoemaker, Sam Strange, and Brad Harris. Each shirt listed the names of all the seniors.

#3. Diane Swart distributes student I.D. cards during the lunch periods.

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#4. New teachers this year were Mr. Gary Sweet, Mr. Monte Moffett, Ms. Wendy Walsh, Mr. Fred Griffith.

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#5. Kevin Womack holds one of the new passes used by teachers this year. Students had to carry these when passing through the halls.

#6. Chris Kasamis contemplates the idea of being in the first annual tricycle race held during the Homecoming pep session.

#7. Who knows WHAT Brad Beals will change into next! The Hulk maybe?

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SPIRIT

Because Northfield High School is more than just books, classes, and homework, its halls are filled with some 600 students living it up in Big Blue Country. Packed with spirit and energy, they engage in such activities as Homecoming, Junior Miss, school plays, the prom, the Christmas Dance, and convos. They form cheerblocks, hold pep sessions, and decorate the doors for sectional.

Northfield High is more than just books, classes, and homework. It's the students and their SPIRIT that make NHS a school that can say . . . BIG BLUE IS BACK!

1979 SENIORS

"Tomorrow will belong to those . . .
who prepare for it today."

What We Wore . . .

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#2. Tami Conrad and Tammy Deeter are shown wearing the neck scarves that were so popular.

#3. Julie Minniear and Chris Carpenter show off the popular hairstyle.

#4. Shoes came in a variety of shapes and sizes. Clogs were the most popular.

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#5. Nearly everyone had straight legged jeans. Some sported a cuff, others didn't.

#6. Full blouses and skirts were popular among girls as Rhonda Mowery shows.

"Tracks Across America"

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= 1. Smiles tell the story for Tammy Lawrence, Sheila Wilson, and Lisa Beals after taking the top three honors.

= 2. Northfield's 1979 Junior Miss, Sheila Wilson!

= 3. Junior Miss Week required a lot of hard work, especially when practicing the 15 minute youth fitness routine.

= 4. Marcia Daugherty was awarded a $50 gift certificate for her outstanding performance in the youth fitness routine.

= 5. Rhonda Mowery was chosen by the other girls as the "Spirit of Junior Miss." She received a $50 gift certificate.

= 6. Lisa Beals received two $50 gift certificates for winning the scholastic and talent parts of the program.

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On the evening of September 23, 1978, fifteen seniors girls competed for scholarships, awards, and the title of Northfield's 1979 Junior Miss. The girls were judged on poise and appearance, youth fitness, creative and performing arts, scholastic achievement, and a judge's interview. Awards were given for the winners of each category.

After hours of long, hard practices the moment came that all the girls had waited for. The second runner-up was Lisa Beals, who won a $200 scholarship. Taking first runner-up honors was Tammy Lawrence. She received a $300 scholarship. Northfield's 1979 Junior Miss was Sheila Wilson who won a $500 scholarship and a monthly gift from the Roann Jaycees. Sheila was crowned by the 1978 Junior Miss, her sister, Gina.

Girls competing were Lisa Beals, Carole Bohnhoff, Rena' Chamberlain, Brenda Collins, Brenda Daniel, Marcia Daugherty, Debbie Deeter, Lori Elliot, Sarah Francis, Darlene Hively, Lisa Kitchen, Tammy Lawrence, Rhonda Mowery, Linda Reed, and Sheila Wilson. Each girl received a charm and a certificate for her participation in the contest.

Time To Let Loose!

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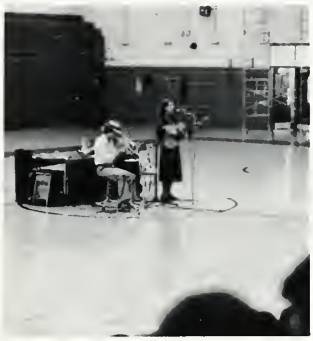

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Nothing is more welcome to a student at NHS than a convo or pep session during an extremely hectic day to relieve the tension and allow him to let loose and laugh. The convos were entertaining as well as educational, and the students always looked forward to them, but it was during the pep sessions that they really got in on the action and lived it up in true Norsemen style.

=7. The Lone Ranger rides again! These boys sure know how to boost school spirit during a pep session.

=8. Gregg Reed, Randy Shafer, Robbie Keaffaber, Randy Griffey, and Darreld Stanley make the "cutest" cheerleaders!

=9. David Tate, "the best looking convo yet," takes time out from his piano playing to sign his autograph for an admirer.

=10. Students enjoyed the frisbee throwing talents of two young men from California.

=11. NHS students were entertained by a couple of folk singers during a convo.

=12. Jeff Draper doesn't seem to know which end's up without a little help from Kelly Bricker.

Homecoming '78

On the cold, windy evening of October 6, 1978, a large crowd bundled together to view the crowning of the 1978-79 Homecoming Queen. This year's festivities did not include floats. Instead each class designed and wore their spirit badges.

For the evening's events, the senior class chose Lisa Beals, Rhonda Mowery and Tami Yentes as queen candidates. After the band's performance, a drumroll was given and the long awaited moment was here. Miss Kathy Brodbeck was asked to hand down her crown to the 1978-79 Homecoming Queen—Lisa Beals!

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= 1. The Northfield Norsemen did battle on the football field against a tough Twin Lakes team that night.

= 2. With the near freezing temperature and high wind, students found blankets, hats and mittens very comforting.

= 3. The newly crowned queen, Lisa Beals and her escort, Doug Sweet, reflect the excitement of the moment.

= 4. The queen's court included freshman, Chris Reed, escorted by Dave Olmstead; sophomore, Marcia Winters, escorted by Scott Kaufman; and junior, Lori Beals, escorted by Jeff Mowery.

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=5. Principal Tom Miller and Doug Sweet accompany the 1978-79 Homecoming Queen, Lisa Beals, off the field.

=6. The band demonstrates their perfect formations before the halftime ceremonies.

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=7. A Norse gridder carries the ball down the field for a touchdown and a 26-7 victory over the Twin Lakes Indians.

=8. Senior candidate Tami Yentes was escorted by Todd Dawes.

=9. Senior candidate Rhonda Mowery was escorted by Duane Wilcox.

SHOWCASE '78 Brings In New Faces

In the Fall Play, 36 high school actors and actresses were "showcased" on Nov. 10-11.

Set in the 1930's THE HAPPY JOURNEY depicts the journey of a typical American family to visit another member of the family. The Thornton Wilder play has no scenery. The characters use pantomime to suggest props. The cast included: Steve Leisure, Mary Shaw, Robbie Keaffaber, Bob Flott, Beth Treska, and Brenda Collins.

SORRY, WRONG NUMBER is a mystery about an invalid who is paralyzed and shut in by that handicap. She finds herself a victim of a cruel plot, but can't find anyone to help her. Uniting as the cast were: D. Norman, S. Freese, K. Smith, S. Smith, B. Proctor, J. Renbarger, B. Squires, A. Risher, S. Francis, and D. Bone.

THE STARING MATCH brings us to an earlier time in rural America. In an effort to end a drought, the community holds a prayer meeting attended by two angels. The cast included: K. Dilling, S. Francis, D. Sparling, D. Weisman, J. Chowning, G. Reed, D. McKenzie, B. Frieden, S. Pefley, M. Young, P. Staton, T. Frehse, B. Bolin, S. Leisure, K. Smith, D. Farmer, S. Freese, K. Tudor, K. Smith, G. Shepherd, D. Bone, and S. Smith.

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#1. Mrs. Stevenson's quest for help ends abruptly.

#2. Ma, Pa, Caroline and Arther Kirby view the beautiful scenes of their happy journey.

#3. A crowd gathers 'round as Mr. White and Mr. Black begin their staring match.

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#4. Ma Kirby comforts Beulah, her daughter, as they talk of Beulah's stillborn child.

#5. Sorry, Wrong Number's cast lines up for curtain call. Look at those smiles!

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#6. Poor Molly Mae Hobbs trips once again, but Linus is there to help her up. Embarrassed, Will Landis decides he must leave.

#7. The gasoline attendant looks over the car to assure a happy journey.

'Tis the Season to be Dancin'

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Frosty temperatures and a freezing wind marked the annual Tri-Sigma Christmas Dance held on December 9th from eight to eleven p.m. But couples soon forgot the frigid weather as they slowly gathered on the dance floor to "boogie the night away" to the great sound of Daybreak. The colorfully lit Christmas tree in the center of the floor and the snow-covered pine on the tables gave the evening that "just right" holiday touch. Mr. Werking captured the festive mood by providing pictures of the couples. Refreshments were provided for the hungry and thirsty who wanted to take a break. All too soon, though, the hands of the clock approached eleven and the couples began to drift off the floor. Another Christmas Dance come and gone . . . and it was just perfect!

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#1. "You put WHAT in the punch?!" Lisa Smith, Jody Gifford, Trishia Tyner, and Mandy Ogan find serving can be fun.

#2. Betsy Deeter can't help wondering what's under the tree even though Gary Trump doesn't seem interested.

#3. "Slow dancing, swaying to the music. "Slow dancing, just me and my girl."

#4. Four isn't a crowd for Robbie Keaffaber, Carla Yentes, Kelly Bricker, and Craig Allman.

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Trip to Canada

This year's French students went on a trip to Canada. They had a lot of fun and saw many places. Several of which were: The Old Fort at Ottawa where they sat in stocks. (5) A big Navy boat in Toronto, Ontario. (1) An aerial view of Quebec, (2) and a carriage trip around Old Montreal. (3) The group which went are standing in front of a 1642 statue. (4) French was the official language of many places they visited.

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25th Show for "Mom" at N.H.S.!

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#1. We tip our hats to you—"Mom"!

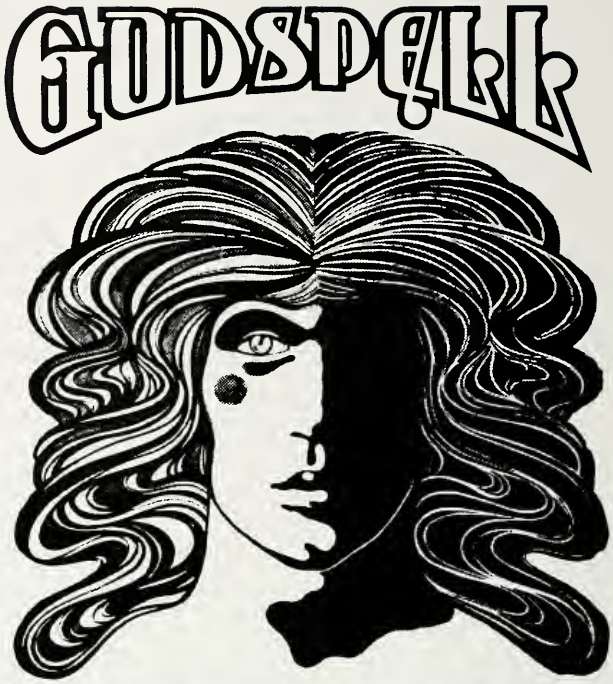
CAST

John Chowning	Linda Reed
Pam Dilling	Mary Shaw
Bob Flott	Sharon Smith
Sarah Francis	Steffany Smith
Teresa Frehse	Beth Squires
Robbie Keaffaber	Kathryn Tiede
David McKenzie	Beth Treska
Amy McKillip	Gary Trump
Mendy Neal	Kelly Tudor
Danette Norman	Dawn Weisman
Kevin Reed	Sheila Wilson
	Marilyn Young

Gregg Reed
as Stephen (Jesus)
Bruce Trump
as John the Baptist/Judas

#2. The choral director—Steve Henderson, drummer—Dan Sparling, organist—Brenda Elrod, pianist—Robin Merrick combined to make the music of GODSPELL great!

#3. Crew: Row one: J. Slee, R. Chowning, H. Powell, R. Sesco, T. Collins, T. Hashbarger, G. Shepherd. Row two: D. Moore, D. McKenzie, K. Smith, S. Francis, R. Treska, S. Smith, D. Warford, J. Bauer, P. Dilling, B. Squires, S. Wilson, C. Deeter. Row three: T. Metz, D. Deeter, D. Farmer, C. Bohnhoff, M. Shaw, T. Frehse, D. Weisman, L. Gaston. Fow four: L. Beals, J. Biehl, K. Dilling, L. Reed, S. Leisure, and T. Conrad.



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THE SPIRIT

TROUPER CAST

"Too Much Heaven"

"Heavenly" would be a good description of the 1979 Junior-Senior prom held May 5th from 9 p.m. to midnight. Nearly 300 students and faculty members shared an evening of "Too Much Heaven" in a sunset colored gymnasium decorated with pink, purple, and gold streamers. Nocturnal Sun provided the music. A lot of time and money was spent to make this annual event special for everyone. This year tables were reserved with a name card at each seat. Guests were ushered to their seats that night. The juniors deserve a big thanks for making the seniors' last prom so super!

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1. Brenda Collins and Rick Tyson are caught by the camera as they enter the decorated gymnasium.

2. Twirling and swirling, Carole Bohnhoff and her date find the old saying true: One in the hand is worth two in the bush!

3. Time to rest those feet! Couples take advantage of their reserved tables.

4. Teresa Baer, Rosie Kramer, Steve Shafer, and Jim Johnson try some new steps.

5. Lisa Allen, Kim Oates, and Betsy Deeter were probably the most popular girls that evening as everyone took advantage of the refreshments.

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6. Gotcha', Bob Kockenour! Mr. Werking makes another surprise attack with his camera.

7. Ushering for the evening were freshmen: Tony Keffaber, David Olmstead, and Doug Wilcox.

8. "You can't go in there!" Dan Metzger appears to be telling Jerry Stevens. Lori Wright finds them both rather amusing.

9. Guests were asked to register before entering the prom. Ken Dawes and Julianne Tiede watch as Deanne Slater and her date register. Girls received a peach daisy.

1. Doug Sweet and Rod Grey share a few laughs for the last time as high school seniors.

2. "What can I say?" Chris Kasamis tells Teresa Baer before their march into the gym.

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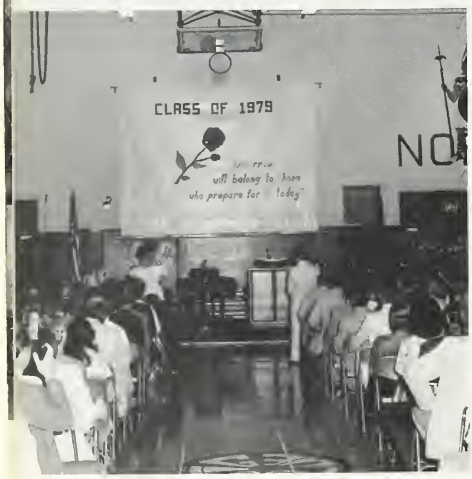

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3. Jeff Warnock has trouble keeping his hat on. Brad Harris offers some help.

4. This is the long aisle the seniors marched down for the last time as a class.

5. Miss Gaber works patiently getting the seniors in their proper order. While graduation may be a solemn occasion for some, for others it's seen in a different light.

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COMMENCEMENT

Prelude. — Mr. Mike Miller
Northfield High School Band

Highlights From
The Sound of Music . . Rogers & Hammerstein
Latin & Lace . . . . . J. Edmonds
Serenade To Spring . . . Rogers & Hammerstein
Vocal Soloist . Amy McKillip

Fanfare & Processional . . . . . by Elgan & Ployhar

Invocational . . . . . Jay Biehl

Musical Interlude
For All The Saints . Vaughn - Williams
A Blessing . . . . . Martin Shea

Introduction of Foreign Student . . . . . Mr. Bill Neale

Student Addresses . . . . . Jeff Draper
Valedictorian
Lisa Beals
Tammy Lawrence
Salutatorians
Student Body President, Duane Wilcox

Presentation of Class . . . . . Mr. Miller

Acceptance of Class . . . . . Dr. Edward Kasamis

Presentation of Diplomas . . . . . Mr. Squires, Mr. Miller
Dr. Edward Kasamis
Assisted by Mr. William Neale

Benediction . . . . . Carole Bohnhoff

Fanfare & Recessional . . . . . by Ployhar

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6. The four student speakers: Jeff Draper, valedictorian; Tammy Lawrence, co-salutatorian; Lisa Beals, co-salutatorian; and Duane Wilcox, student body president.

7. Carole Bohnhoff receives her diploma from Mr. Kasamis.

8. Tammy Helvey and Sherri Weesner smile happily after receiving their diplomas.

9. Senior girls inspect their diplomas and can't believe their six years at NHS have ended.

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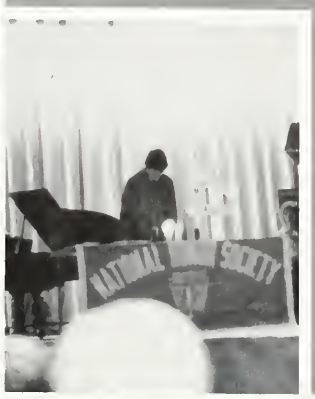

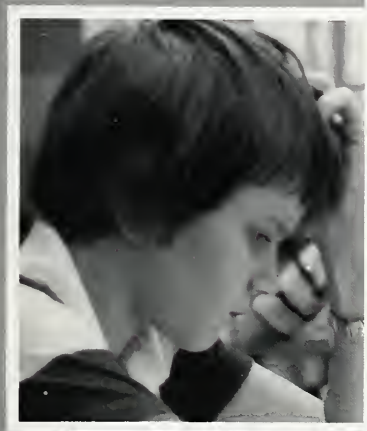

NHS students fill their days at school with classes, work, and teachers, yet they always manage to find time to join and participate in several clubs and activities. Sometimes these activities are enjoyed after school hours, while others are held during activity periods in school. Being able to combine these activities with their academics can be a chore to some and a challenge to others. It's the students and their PRIDE in their work that makes NHS a school that can say . . . BIG BLUE IS BACK!

Accomplishments Recognized

On any awards night, whether it be creative arts, scholastics, or athletics, one can always see the spirit, pride, and sportsmanship held by the students at NHS. Many awards are given out each year. From the highest awards in scholastics (valedictorian, salutatorian), creative arts (Dyson and Cole Memorials), and athletics (MVP and blanket awards) to a simple certificate, each holds a special memory of hard work and accomplishment to the individual.

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1. Girls' State Delegates from left to right: Ramona Reed, alternate; Lori Beals, delegate; Tammy Deeter, delegate; and Brenda Elrod, alternate.

2. The 1977 (Robbie Keaffaber), '78 (Mary Shaw, Danette Norman), and the '79 (Gregg Reed) Lucky Penny Award winners pose for their picture.

3. Mr. Miller presents Mr. Galen Eiler with a plaque for his many years of service to Northfield and the community.

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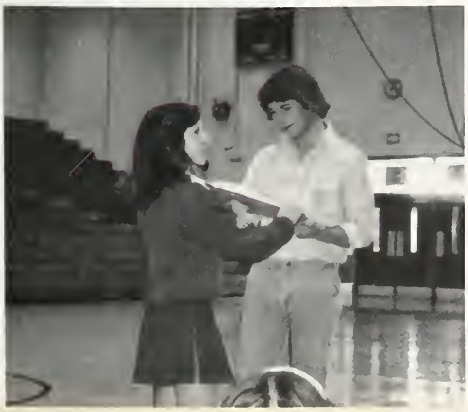

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4. Julie Grandstaff was the recipient of the 1979 Rhonda Shaw Memorial Award.

5. A local, sectional, and regional winner, John Chowning will be a semi-state finalist in the Optimist Speech Contest in August.

6. Winners of the highest awards in drama and speech are: Rob Keaffaber, Cole Acting Memorial; Sheila Wilson, Speech Excellence; Ruth Chowning, Dyson Technical Memorial; and David McKenzie, Theatrical Excellence.

7. Rod Grey receives a Valentine cake after winning the "heart" contest by stealing the most hearts.

#1. Mrs. Darlene Hunt teaches sophomore English and speech classes. She is also the sponsor of the Tri-Sigma Club.

#2. Mrs. Barbara Bickel's busy schedule includes teaching sophomore English and speech classes, Creative Writing, Contemporary Literature, Drama, and Advanced Composition. She is also the speech team coach, Drama Club sponsor, and stages two fantastic productions each year.

#3. Miss Ruth Davis was a student teacher from Manchester College teaching under Mrs. Bickel.

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#4. Mrs. Jarrett was the fill-in for Mrs. Clark. She taught junior English.

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More Than Grammar

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English is more than just adverbs, conjuctions, and verb agreements. NHS offers so much more. Sophomore English classes have a semester of speech. Juniors can take Creative Writing which involves broadening one's writing and creative talents by keeping a journal and designing a photographic essay. Contemporary Literature allows one to explore such works as "The Great Gatsby", "A Farewell to Arms", and "The Grapes of Wrath." Advanced Composition is the senior term paper course, and the Drama class provides for those interested in acting and the theater.

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#5. Miss Linda Landes teaches freshman English plus a typing class. She is also one of the cheerblock sponsors.

#6. Mrs. Mary Clark opens presents at her baby shower. Before leaving, Mrs. Clark taught the junior English classes.

#7. Mrs. Kitt presents awards to the Spelling Bee winners from left to right: Luke Ferguson, Journal Gazette winner; Scott Patton, Rachel Grossman, Felicia Terrell, Sonia Sturgill, and Joy Gibson, Kiwanis Spelling Bee winners.

#8. Mrs. Norma Kitt teaches seventh grade English. She is also the Shield adviser.

#9. Miss Lottie Waggoner occupies her time teaching eighth grade English and Journalism, which puts out the North Star. She is also the cheerblock sponsor.

"Takin' Care of Business"

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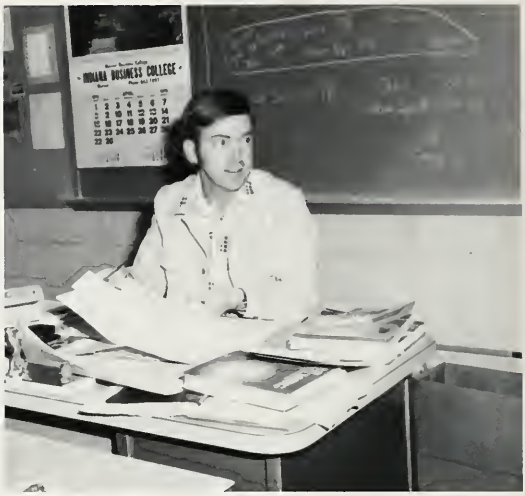

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Northfield's B.B.B. (Better Business Bureau) offers five courses to those students interested in a business career: Typing I & II, Typing III & IV, General Business, Bookkeeping, and Shorthand. Next year a new course will be added—Business Law. Mr. Alexander and Mrs. Breiner do a great job of taking care of business!

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#1. Mrs. Nancy Breiner teaches typing and shorthand, along with coaching the junior high girls' volleyball team.

#2. Mr. Don Alexander teaches typing, General Business, and Accounting. He also is the freshman basketball coach.

#3. Michelle Ridenour seems to enjoy typing . . . or is she typing another one of Mr. Alexander's jokes?

#4. "Dear John . . ." Dawn Wagner types away as Lori Hipsher dictates.

"En español, por favor."

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There are two foreign languages available to students during their high school career. Spanish and French are both offered at four levels beginning when one is a freshman. Several students were inducted into Who's Who in Foreign Languages in Midwestern High Schools. They were: Tami Yentes, Sarah Francis, Chris Arrick, Beth Newcomer,Nora Yentes, Kathryn Tiede, Delinda Shepherd, Cindy Long, Lori Long, and Sally Francis. NHS also received two foreign exchange students this year from South America: Valeria and Tereza.

#5. Mr. Rocco Fuschetto teaches both Spanish and French. He is also the sponsor of the Foreign Language Club.

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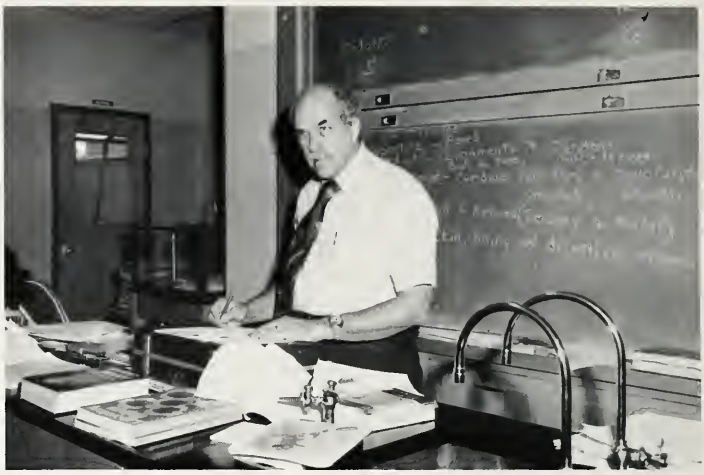
#6. Four French hens? Patty Plant, Kathryn Tiede, Dawn Baber, and Diane Swart concentrate on their next move.

#7. The two foreign exchange students, Tereza and Valeria, try their skills with the frisbee. Tereza is from Brazil and Valeria is from Chili.

The Mad Scientists!

The science department is made up of some very scientifically-minded men teaching courses ranging from junior high science to Physics and Advanced Chemistry. They teach students how to dissect fetal pigs, test for hydrogen, make titrations, and figure velocities. At the junior high level, students are taught that energy is neither created or destroyed. From then on each science class builds on this concept from different angles, whether it be biological, chemical, or physical.



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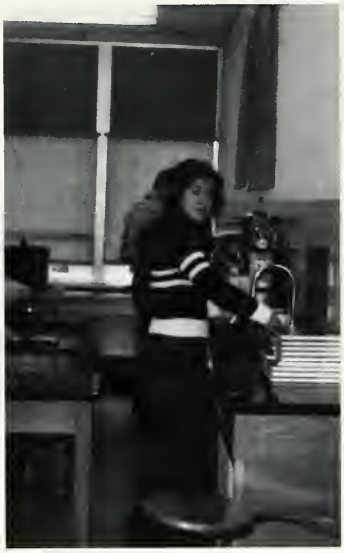

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1. Mr. Tom Reahard teaches junior high science.

2. Juanita Patton fears the worst as she works on her experiment in eighth grade science.

3. Mr. Marvin Mast answers Faye Engelman's questions about her lab. He is kept busy teaching eighth grade science, Chemistry, and Advanced Chemistry.

4. Mr. Walker spends some time with one of his biology students.

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5. Mr. Dennis Walker teaches freshman Biology and Health along with being the assistant coach for the varsity boys' track team and coaching the eighth grade basketball team.

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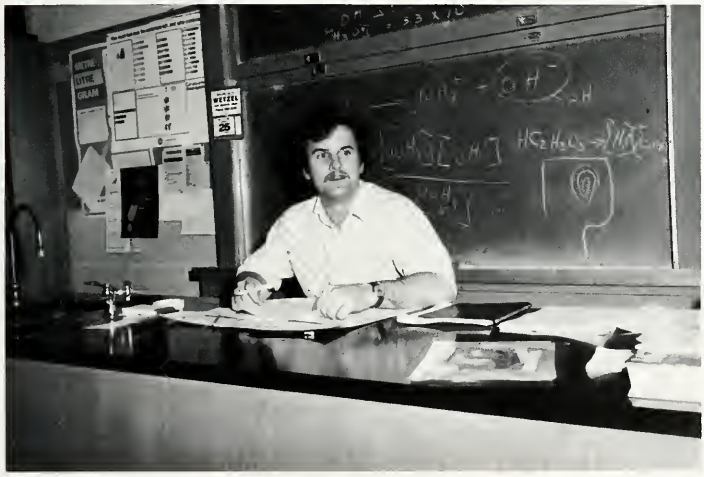

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6. Roger Engelman heats the contents of his test tube in Chemistry.

7. Mr. Jim Wenrich teaches Advanced and freshman Biology and Physics. He is also the coach of the seventh grade football team.

Several Courses Offered in Ag

Basically Northfield is a farm school, so naturally its agriculture department is one of high quality, not only its courses but its teachers as well. Mr. Lonny Harts has been teaching agriculture at NHS for several years. Mr. Gary Sweet was a first year teacher this year. Courses such as Jr. High Ag, Ag 1 & 2, Ag 3 & 4, Farm Management, Animal Science, Plant and Animal Science, Advanced Crop and Livestock Production, Ag Mechanics, Farm Structures, Horticulture, and Natural Resources are offered to students from grades seven through 12.

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1. Seniors, Duane Wilcox, Jay Biehl, Sam Strange, and Nate Vrooman hit the books!

2. Mr. Lonny Harts teaches Farm Management, Animal Science, Adv. Crop and Livestock Production, Ag Mechanics, Farm Structures, and Agriculture. He is also the FFA sponsor.

3. Craig Allman guards the hog that the boys in the Ag department butchered, made into sausage, and served at the FFA Banquet.

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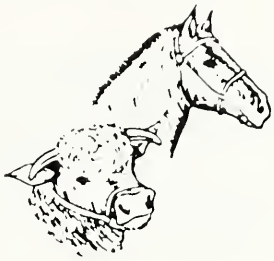

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4. Ricky Monce cuts up the fat of the hog to be rendered into lard.

5. Junior high Agriculture students seem to be engrossed in their reading.

6. Mr. Gary Sweet and his sidekick, Kent Dilling, discuss things over the telephone. Mr. Sweet teaches Ag 3 & 4, Horticulture, and Natural Resources. He is an FFA sponsor.

Art Students Win at Regional

This year's art students carried away many honors at the Regional Art Contest in Fort Wayne. Placing in Honorable Mention Catagories were: Betsy Deeter, one award; Betty Bolin, one award; Ramona Reed, one award; Rhonda Ford, two awards; Stan Bowman, two awards; Roger Engelman two awards; Linda Kitchen, one award; Marilyn Young, two awards; Lisa Brodbeck, one award; Kevin Womack (not pictured), one award. Placing first was Lisa Kitchen with a Gold Key Award. Placing first in the Gold Key Finalist catagory were Ramona Reed and Stan Bowman whose work went on the National Contest in New York City.

The art department is responsible for the art displays found in the bookstore and the drawings above the lockers in the main hall. Basic Art is required of junior high students, but after that a student interested in art has a variety of courses to choose from, such as: Drawing, Painting, Sculpture, Ceramics, Crafts, and Individual Art.

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2. Mr. Joe Groover teaches all the art classes at NHS. He is also the eighth grade football and seventh grade basketball coach, and he sponsors the Art Club.

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3. Junior high art students concentrate on sketching their model as Mr. Groover observes their drawings.

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4. Steven Leisure puts the finishing touches on his ceramic pot.

Band Dept. Active

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The band department was active all year long. In the fall the band students sold candy to raise money to help pay for the new Norsette uniforms. The band parents also ran the concession stand during the football games. The Marching Norsemen performed at the halftime. During the basketball games band students ran the concession stand in the cafeteria. Northfield license plates were also sold to help raise money for the department. Besides selling candy, license plates, and running concession stands, the bands were able to give several fine performances.

5. Mr. Mike Miller is the high school band director and the junior class sponsor.

6. Band parents got involved in the candy sales this year by coming in and taking care of the money in the mornings.

7. Mr. Ross Trump is the junior high band director and a seventh grade class sponsor.

8. Dawn Baber, Gregg Reed, and Tracy Shambaugh sample the popcorn they prepared for the concession stand.

Do, re, mi, fa, sol, la, ti, do

The music department received a new member this year, Mr. Steven Henderson. Last year he directed the choir that was number one in the state. As a seventh or eighth grader one must take either general music or choir. When one is a freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior he may audition for a chair in the varsity acapella choir. Even though this year's choir was one of the largest ever, Mr. Henderson is looking forward to increasing the number of participates even more.

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1. The choir members try on their robes while Brenda Collins seems to be starstruck.

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2. Members of the octet that received a first place rating at the state level were: Dave McKenzie, Ken Clupper, Karen Hentgen, Amy McKillip, Danette Norman, Mary Shaw, Bruce Trump, and Gary Trump.

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3. Mr. Henderson is the director of the junior high and varsity choirs and teaches junior high music. He is also a senior class sponsor and was the music coordinator in the production, "Godspell."

More Than Cooking and Sewing

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Home Economics is an area of study used to expand one's talents, whether it be in sewing or cooking. Yet these are not the only subjects dealt with in the home ec. department. Courses are offered on family living, interpersonal relationships, and a consumer unit in which students learn about consumer products and buying. Home Ec. is not only for girls though. A Singles Survival course is available to both boys and girls. Anyone with a sewing, cooking, or any other home ec. interest will find a course suitable to his or her needs.

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4. Miss Kathleen McGovern teaches the foods classes and Singles Survival. She is also a junior class sponsor.

5. Mrs. Georgia Busch teaches the clothing classes, Family Living, and a nine week course on Home Nursing. She is also the FHA sponsor.

6. Cindy Carver checks the fire under her skillet in her Foods I class.

"If I had a hammer . . ."

The basic skills of carpentry, drafting, and construction are learned in the Industrial Arts department. Such classes as welding, drafting, and first and second year industrial arts are offered to students from seventh to twelfth grade. Mr. Weekley and Mr. Jackson head the department and are big inspirations to those students interested in improving their building skills.

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#1. Mr. Paul Jackson gives Brian Benson helpful advice on his project. Mr. Jackson teaches Industrial Arts and Drafting.

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#2. Seventh grade students work hard (?) on their drafting assignments.

#3. Mr. Jack Weekley teaches the wood building, metal, and construction classes.

#4. Mike Bowers uses his woodworking skills on the power saw.

The Math Magicians

By the time a student finishes six years of math, he may feel like a walking calculator or computer. Decimals, square roots, sines, cosines, angles, and variables become a part of his life. NHS offers an excellent math program beginning with the required junior high courses through Algebra I & II, Geometry, Advanced Algebra, and finally, senior math (Trigonometry and Analytic Geometry). Four senior math students entered a Manchester College math contest in the fall. They were: Jeff Draper, Jay Biehl, Duane Wilcox, and Chris Kasamis. This was a first for Northfield.

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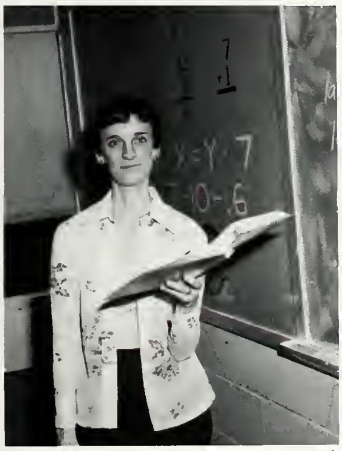

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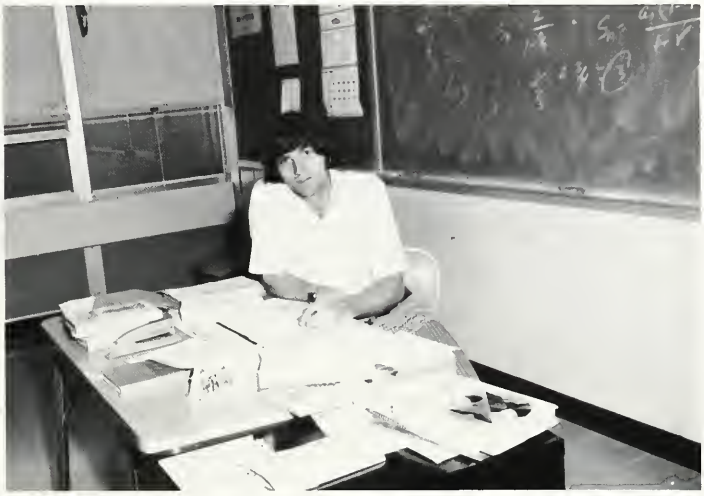

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5. Mr. Kenneth Norman points out Valerie Wilcox's mistake in figuring. Mr. Norman teaches seventh grade math.

6. Miss Lucy Dundore is the teacher of eighth grade math and a second year Spanish class. She is also the assistant girls' basketball coach.

7. Mr. Steve Desper teaches Geometry, Advanced Algebra, and senior math, along with a class of eighth graders. Mr. Desper is the boys' basketball assistant coach and golf coach.

8. Mr. Harold Christie teaches first year Algebra and some eighth grade math.

Classes Teach Sportsmanship

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Physical Education is required of students from 7th to 10th grade. After that, one may take Adv. P.E. as a junior or senior. The P.E. classes went bowling, and played softball, gym hockey, bombardment, basketball, volleyball, and whiffle ball. P.E. not only stresses physical health and exercise, but it attempts to teach students sportsmanship, confidence, and how to get along with others.

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1. Mr. Mark Coppler is the boys' P.E. teacher and the freshmen football coach.

2. Mr. Randy Unger was new this year. He taught boys' P.E., Health, and was the varsity boys' basketball coach.

3. The boys' Advanced P.E. class played gym hockey when it was too cold to go outside.

4. Mrs. Theresa Honeycutt teaches girls' P.E. and coaches the girls' volleyball, basketball, and track teams.

5. Kim Oates tries to coax the bowling ball straight down the alley. Bowling was a part of the girls' P.E. classes.

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Those We Depend On

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This year's guidance department was filled with three eager and helpful counselors: Miss Lana Garber, Mr. Charles Miller, and Mr. Robert McCaslin. When they weren't discussing students' problems, they were scheduling classes, giving career speeches, passing out PSAT tests, and keeping seniors up to date on college and scholarship information.

Miss Joan Beghtel taught the special education classes. This year Miss Wendy Walsh was here to help share the load. Both were great assets to NHS.

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#6. Guidance counselors: Miss Garber, Mr. Miller, and Mr. McCaslin.

#7. Belinda Applegate and Steffany Smith spend some time in the guidance office during study hall.

#8. Miss Beghtel plans the next day's lessons and activities for her students.

#9. A new face at NHS, Miss Walsh taught half day Pre-Vocational and half day Learning Disabilities.

Vocational School: A Learning Experience

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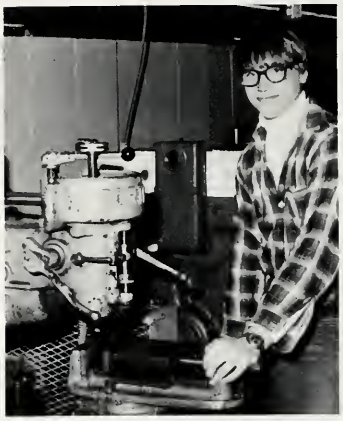

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The Upper Wabash Vocational School provides a learning experience for high school juniors and seniors by teaching them skills they need to secure a job upon graduation. Students from six different schools attend the school: Northfield, Southwood, North Miami, Peru, Wabash, and Manchester. Seventeen different classes are offered. Some are: Accounting and Date Processing, Ag Mechanics, Beauty Culture, Drafting, Electronics, Health Occupations, Office Training, Printing, Welding, Work Experience, Auto Body Repair, Auto Mechanics, Building Trades, Cooperative Education, Commercial Foods, and Machine Shop.

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1. Marty Watts and Larry Case get ready to demonstrate their welding abilities.

2. Brad Harris works on a machine at the Vocational School.

3. Helen Parker enjoys Work Experience.

4. John Davenport, Susan Ruley, and Marie Green are enrolled in the Printing class.

5. Ed Rice and Tim Quinn seem to be distracted by the camera.

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#6. Renee Crumrine is in her second year of Beauty Culture at the school.

#7. Roger Stouffer and Mark Judy find machines are little more complicated than they look.

#8. Terry Hewitt repairs a wrecked car in Auto Body Repair.

#9. Lori Elliot, Ami Gill, and Tuesday Dyson take time out from typing for the camera.

#10. Deanne Slater, Darlene Hively, and Tracy Bower demonstrate how to work a key punch.

"And YOU were there . . ."

Northfield's history teachers definitely have a way of making one feel as though he was right there at the battle scene, court trial, or presidential election. From seventh grade to the time when one reaches "seniordom", he is offered or required to take such courses as Indiana History, Geography, U.S. History, Asian History, Psychology, World History, Government, and Economics. Learning about the early beginnings to present-day situations is what history is all about.

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1. Mr. Rex Price has the "extreme privilege" of teaching the senior Government and Economics classes. He is also the senior class sponsor.

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2. Mr. Craig Winegardner (no relation to Patrick Henry) primarily teaches the junior U.S. History classes, but also has a few world history classes. He is the coach of the varsity baseball team too.

3. The history department was helped out by student teacher, Mr. Fairchild, from Manchester College. He taught a few of the Government and U.S. History classes.

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4. Mr. Monte Moffett, a new member to the staff, spends his time teaching eighth grade history, Health, and a U.S. History class, along with coaching eighth grade girl's basketball and junior high track.

5. Mr. Ronald Clark takes on the task of educating the seventh graders in Indiana History and Geography.

6. Mr. Fred Griffith, another new face at NHS, not only teaches Psychology, Sociology, and eighth grade history, but coaches junior high wrestling also.

Student Council Very Active

The 1978-1979 officers for student council were: President—Duane Wilcox, Vice President—Tammy Deeter, Secretary—Lisa Beals, Treasurer—Diane Swart. This year's student council institued the tricycle race at the Homecoming pepsession. They also sponsored the Homecoming Dance. Two new drinking fountains were purchased for the students, and the student council constitution was revised and updated. Several members of the council visited other schools to learn about other ways of student government. It was also to give them ideas of improvement for N.H.S. They ran the coat check during basketball season. The sponsors of student council were Mr. B. Neale and Mr. C. Miller.

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#1. Tammy Lawrence and Duane Wilcox decorate the Christmas tree in the cafeteria. It helped add a festive mood to the day!

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#2. This new drinking fountain was appreciated greatly by everyone as warm weather set in.

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#3. Row one: T. Lawrence, L. Beals, D. Sweet, C. Kasamis, T. Dawes, C. Allman, D. Wilcox. Row two: K. Dilling, D. Swart, P. Plant, A. Breedlove, C. Arrick, D. Dawes, T. Deeter. Row three: K. Dawes, B. Higgley, B. Allman. Row four: T. Dyson, D. Wilcox, T. Keffaber, D. Olmstead. Row five: F. Engelman, T. Miller, C. Hollenback.

Honor Society Inducts Eighteen

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#1. Row one: L. Kitchen, C. Kasamis, A. Breedlove, P. Plant, L. Beals, T. Lawrence, R. Chowning, S. Francis, Mrs. Breiner. Row two: D. Sparling, C. Arrick, T. Deeter, K. Tiede, L. Beals, B. Elrod, S. Schenkel. Row three: S. Wilson, D. Deeter, C. Bohnhoff, T. Yentes, B. Daniel, A. Risher, B. Collins. Row four: L. Reed, T. Dawes, N. Vrooman, J. Kellems, R. Engelman, R. Biehl. Row five: J. Draper, D. Wilcox, J. Biehl.

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New members of the National Honor Society were inducted September 22 by second year members. The induction ceremony was attended by the parents, with a tea following. On September 30 the members took a field trip to Greenfield Village in Dearborn, Michigan. A tentative breakfast was also planned. The officers were: Jay Biehl, president; Lisa Beals, vice president; Brenda Daniel, secretary; and Anne Risher, treasurer.

#2. Chris Kasamis and Tammy Lawrence induct Tammy Deeter by presenting her with a yellow stole and a National Honor Society patch and card.

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#3. Tami Yentes speaks to the new members about the organization and its purposes.

Tri-Sigma Breaks Tradition

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#1. Row one: D. Edwards, R. Mowery, L. Kitchen, C. Kasamis, C. Bohnhoff, T. Yentes, B. Daniels, A. Risher, B. Collins, R. Chowning, Mrs. D. Hunt. Row two: T. Blanke, L. Wright, T. Bower, S. Weesner, R. Chamberlain, S. Wilson, D. Deeter, T. Lawrence, L. Beals, S. Francis, L. Beals, J. Slee. Row three: L. Hantelman, M. Lucas, D. Baber, T. Conrad, N. Yentes, F. Dillon, T. Wilson, L. McKee, T. Hashbarger, V. Prater. Row four: B. Wagner, M. Wright, K. Burnsworth, C. Alexander, G. Shepherd, K. Tudor, B. Hicks, D. Farmer, R. Slisher, M. Alexander, M. Watson. Row five: T. Frehse, J. Renbarger, A. McKillip, L. Kitchen, L. Sweet, K. Eilts, J. Rees, L. Sesco, L. Samons. Row six: L. Chamberlain, L. Green, T. Martin.

Tri-Sigma is a Christian organization for girls in the tenth through twelfth grades. This year the members decided that they would allow the freshmen to join.

The officers for the club were: President—Lisa Beals, Treasurer—Lori Sweet, Secretary—Chris Kasamis and Chaplain—Shiela Wilson. Secret Sisters were drawn as usual. The club also sponsored the traditional Christmas Dance. It was held on December 9, 1978, from 8:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. in the cafeteria.

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#2. Couples slow dance to the music of "Daybreak". The dance invited freshmen through seniors and was sponsored by Tri-Sigma.

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3. Row one: S. Shafer, J. France, B. Kochenour, T. Polk, R. Keaffaber, R. Sesco, D. Stanley, J. Draper, J. Biehl, D. Wilcox. Row two: L. Beals, D. Warford, K. Lindzy, R. Engelman, M. Carroll, B. Flott, L. Allen, J. Mowery, M. Devore. Row three: S. Hipsher, J. Johnson, D. Metzger, E. Sinclair, S. Harris, D. Singer, D. Ault, K. Clark, J. Holmes. Row four: D. Sausaman, T. Dawes, S. Kaufman, K. Dawes, T. Shafer, K. Kelly, M. Daugherty, K. Dilling, D. Sparling. Row five: T. Rogers, L. Kitchen, L. Allen, C. Deeter, J. Renbarger, M. Carr, B. Deeter.

Active Teachers and Athletes

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#4. Row one: L. Wright, C. Kasamis, J. Slee, T. Rogers. Row two: R. Keaffaber, and D. McKenzie.

The N-Club was sponsored by Mr. Winegardner and Mr. Kaltenmark. The club was organized so that any student who has earned a varsity letter in a sport may become a member. There were 44 participants this year. There were some members of the Senior class which earned the highest possible sports award—the blanket. These seniors were: Jason France, Tom Polk, Nathan Vrooman, Robbie Keaffaber, Rick Sesco, Tina Rogers.

Six students tried their hand at teaching this year. The program was set up by Miss Garber, their sponsor. It was designed to give them experience in a teaching position and to help them to decide if they like the teaching profession.

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1. Row one: C. Bohnhoff, T. Blanke, L. Wright, R. Mowery, L. Kitchen, R. Keaffaber, A. Riser, B. Collins, M. Neal, B. Bickel. Row two: R. Chowning, K. Tiede, D. Dawes, C. Rensberger, L. Beals, S Wilson, D. Deeter, T. Lawerence, S. Francis, B. Squires. Row three: D. Sparling, K. Dilling, T. Deeter, D. Baber, L. Force, P. Plant, R. Sesco, J. Slee. Row four: D. Warford, S. Smith, M. Wright, S. Goff, S. Snavely, N. Stefanotis, T. Metz, T. Hashbarger, D. McKenzie. Row five: S. Smith, D. Norman, T. Frehse, S. Leisure, L. Gaston, J. Gackenheimer, G. Metz, B. Flott. Row six: S. Pefley, L. Brodbeck, J. Brauer, S. Francis, K. Smith, L. Sesco, R. Slisher, J. Renbarger, L. Guttrich. Row seven: D. Weisman, B. Applegate, N. Yentes, M. Young, L. Long, L. Reed, L. Beals, G. Reed.

Drama Shows Were Great!

The Drama club worked very diligently this year. They put on "Showcase '78" and "Godspell". Both were successful. Godspell received three standing ovations which is very uncommon and has only happened once in the history of N.H.S. Members of the club attended Manchester College's production of Brigadoon. The club also sold carmel popcorn to aid in their trip to New York in June.

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2. Ken Clupper puts make-up on Chris McClean, after learning how important it is to an actor. Make-up served an important part in "Godspell."

State Winners

On Saturday, March 31, 1979, Gregg Reed and Robbie Keaffaber made N.H.S. speech team history by becoming the first ever to win the state speech meet. They survived five rounds of competition and were awarded championship trophies. Their cutting was "The Sneeze." Sheila Wilson placed ninth in the state. All three members combined to tie for the tenth team place.

At the District Speech meet, David McKenzie and Gregg Reed placed in Drama and Humorous, respectively. At the Ft. Wayne Harding meet, Mary Shaw placed first in poetry. As a team, we placed 10th at Maconaquah. This year's season was very successful!

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#3. Robbie Keaffaber and Gregg Reed pose with Sheila Wilson after receiving their trophies.

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#4. Row one: Mrs. Bickel, T. Frehse, R. Keaffaber, S. Wilson, D. McKenzie. Row two: G. Reed, T. Metz, M. Young. Row three: J. Chowning, J. Bauer, R. Treska. Row four: L. Reed, S. Leisure, S. Francis. Row five: R. Ogan, R. Chowning, B. Squires. Row six: M. Shaw, M. Neal, S. Francis, B. Treska.

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#5. Regional Team, top to bottom: J. Chowning, S. Francis, G. Reed, R. Chowning, L. Reed, S. Wilson, R. Keaffaber, M. Shaw.

Mumbo Jumbo Makes Sense

The highlight of the Foreign Language Club this year was their annual Christmas party held in the cafeteria on December 21st. The club also sang Christmas carols in the halls.

To help finance their trip to Canada in June, the French students sold cheese and sausage during the year. Due to the change in the activity period scheduling, the club was not able to meet very often.

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#1. Foreign Exchange students, Valeria Bassi and Tereza Desouza, are caught by the photographer as they roam the halls.

#2. Members of Who's Who in Foreign Language in Midwestern High Schools: N. Yentes, C. Long, L. Long, K. Tiede, D. Shepherd, S. Francis, B. Newcomer, C. Arrick.

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#3. Row one: J. Slee, A. Risher, B. Daniel, Mr. Fuschetto, T. Yentes, C. Bohnhoff. Row two: A. McKillip, C. Long, J. Tiede, K. Bricker, L. Kitchen, B. Squires, L. Tonovitz, A. Breedlove, P. Plant, D. Swart. Row three: C. Deeter, L. Hantelman, K. Tiede, D. Dawes, L. Sweet, J. Rees, K. Eilts, D. Shepherd, J. Draper. Row four: D. Weisman, L. Snavely, D. Baber, N. Yentes, T. Conrad, S. Schenkel, S. Rice, N. Yentes, L. Guttrich, T. Wilson. Row five: C. Arrick, M. Carroll, K. Dawes, B. Flott, D. McKenzie, S. White, J. Krom, G. Metz, J. Gackenheimer. Row six: L. Brodbeck, D. Shear, R. Reed, S. Goff, T. Thompson, K. Smith, S. Francis.

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Field Trip to Indy.

The Nu Chi Sigma, commonly known as the Northfield History Club, had 37 members and was sponsored by Mr. Winegardner. This club was founded in 1976 in commemoration of our nation's Bicentennial year, for student interested in local, state and national heritage.

This year's field trip was to Benjamin Harrison's Home, the Children's Museum in Indianapolis, and the State War Memorial.

The club had a square dance and a dress-up Halloween party. Officers were: President, Brenda Daniels; Vice-President, Anne Risher; Secretary, Susan Schenkel; Treasurer, Brenda Elrod.

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#4. Mr. Clark, Brenda Elrod, Julie Minniear, and Gary Trump look at relics of the Spanish American War in the State War Memorial.

#5. Three juniors, Dana Dawes, Dawn Baber, and Gary Trump, take a look at the view from Benjamin Harrison's Home.

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#6. Row one: T. Blanke, L. Wright, R. Mowery, L. Kitchen, S. Weesner, B. Daniel, A. Risher, B. Collins, Mr. Winegardner. Row two: R. Chowning, L. Beals, S. Wilson, D. Deeter, T. Lawrence, S. Francis, J. Slee, R. Sesco. Row three: T. Deeter, D. Baber, N. Yentes, A. Breedlove, P. Plant, T. Wilson, K. Frieden, J. Kellems. Row four: L. Force, S. Schenkel, L. Enser, D. Dawes, K. Tiede, S. Rice, K. Smith, D. McKenzie. Row five: K. Dilling, M. Daugherty, M. Carroll, L. Gaston, K. Clupper.

Club Builds for Future

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#1. Bottom row: B. Flott, D. McKenzie, R. Keaffaber, R. Sesco, M. Carroll, T. Polk. Row two: C. Kasamis, D. Sweet, R. Grey, J. Stevens, Mr. Reahard, seated with Senior High Math and Science Club. (Junior High club pictured below.)

Late in the year, a Math and Science Club was organized. The club sponsor was Mr. C. Reahard.

At the first meeting, officers were elected: President—Jessie Kellems, Vice President—Ruth Chowning, Secretary-Treasurer—Robbie Keaffaber.

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2. Row one: J. Proctor, S. Miller, M. Lauer, J. Yentes, D. Shepherd, J. Brainard. Row two: A. Drook, F. Lucas, C. Hollenback, B. Donaldson, T. Miller, M. Gardner. Row three: J. Prater, H. Haupert.

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#3. Row one: S. Weesner, J. Mason, L. Tackett, F. Terrel, C. Gautschi, P. Frank. Row two: A. Wilson, S. Clonts, J. Rate, K. Smith, C. Ward, T. Spradlin, V. Knott. Row three: D. Schlemmer, M. Brewer, S. Overman, J. Hively, L. Snapp, S. Fearnow, C. Collens, V. Butzin. Row four: S. Burnsworth, K. Shultz, J. Grandstaff, K. Woodward, D. Weitzel, A. Murray, M. McCammack, S. Bull. Row five: K. Dillon, A. Shelton, P. Pepple, K. Hobbs, K. Hunt.

Jr. High Participation Good!

Model Club

#4. Row one: R. Quillen, S. Miller, M. Lauer, J. Yentes, D. Shepherd, B. Haupert, B. Hall, C. Wendt, Mr. Norman. Row two: C. Gidley, D. Bassetti, H. Joy, B. McNabney, J. Miller, W. Meak, K. Woodward. Row three: M. Dock, C. Johnson, J. Bricker, M. Rees, M. Kitchen, D. Mason, B. Tudor, J. Kepple. Row four: K. Womack, K. Werking, B. Stellar, R. Leach, E. Wilson, R. Pettit, C. Baker, B. Laferny.

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#5. Row one: Mr. Sweet, A. Drook, B. Deeter, D. Deeter, T. Wuensch, H. Haupert, T. Weitsel, Mr. Harts. Row two: K. Warnock, A. Lindzy, A. Daniel, T. Keaffaber, H. Halderman, T. Shear, T. Miller, R. Lewis. Row three: K. Ringel, M. Lauer, C. Gidley, B. Donaldson, D. Tester, B. Beals, G. Hapner, D. Harvey. Row four: R. Gambsby, K. Quinn, J. Southworth, R. Grossman, S. Kirtland, S. Siders, B. Miracle. Row five: W. Mabee, B. Haupert, M. Orpurt, B. Boring, F. Lucas, B. Tudor, B. Hall, J. Miller. Row six: J. Brainard, M. Garner.

A Center of Resources and Help

If you were wanting a quiet place to study, read, or sleep, the library was the place to be. The ten library club members were very dedicated to keeping the library in order.

Mrs. Lois VanElls, head librarian, had to move this year and will be missed a lot at N.H.S.

1. Mrs. VanElls sorts through the card catalog in search of a book for a student.

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2. Row one: Mrs. Hollenback, B. Squires, J. Mason, M. Alexander, B. Butzin, Mrs. VanElls. Row two: M. Carroll, J. Goff, W. Powell, C. Alexander. Row three: C. Chittick, B. Flott.

Sketch That on Paper!

The Art Club has one major requirement: designing and completing a large scale painting.

The officers: president, Lisa Kitchen; vice president, Linda Kitchen; secretary, Rhonda Ford; treasurer, Betsy Deeter, arranged and planned the field trip to Salamonie. In order to attend the trip each student must have completed his project by the first of May.

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3. A student has a towel put around his face as others prepare him for having a plaster mold made of his face.

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4. Row one: L. Kitchen, L. Kitchen, R. Ford, B. Deeter. Row two: C. Alfred, S. Francis, R. Patton, M. Lucas, P. Staton, B. Bolin, R. Nordman. Row three: L. Beals, M. Meyer, V. Butzin, R. Reed, D. Norwood, K. Bricker, M. Young, Mr. Groover. Row four: D. Brock, S. James, R. Treska, J. France, K. Kelly, T. Shafer, S. Leisure.

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Clubs Preparing for Future

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There are four vocational youth organizations participated in by Northfield. They are: DECA (Distributive Education Clubs of America), HOSA (Health Occupation Students of America), OEA (Office Education Association) and VICA (Vocational Industrial Clubs of America). These organizations provide acitivites and leadership for any student interested.

Brenda Daniel, a member of HOSA, received second place in the state with an informative speech she wrote. She went to Nationals on June 26-30.

Officers from N.H.S. for OEA were: president, Anne Risher; treasurer, Rosie Kramer; and parliamentarian, Brenda Collins.

#5. VICA members B. Reed and T. Shoemaker.

#6. HOSA members T. Yentes and B. Daniel.

#7. DECA members, Row one: M. Neal, L. Martindale, D. Smedley, K. Monce. Row two: E. Phillips, B. Eltzroth, H. Joy, T. McVoy, T. Hewitt. Row three: M. Baker, B. Harris.

#8. OEA members, Row one: B. Collins, A. Risher, S. Weesner, C. Boyer, T. Baer. Row two: C. Palmer, T. Bower, L. Driscoll, R. Chamberlain, D. Slater, R. Kramer, K. Hentgen. Row three: T. Dyson, A. Gill, D. Hively, L. Elliot, T. Helvey, G. Faust.

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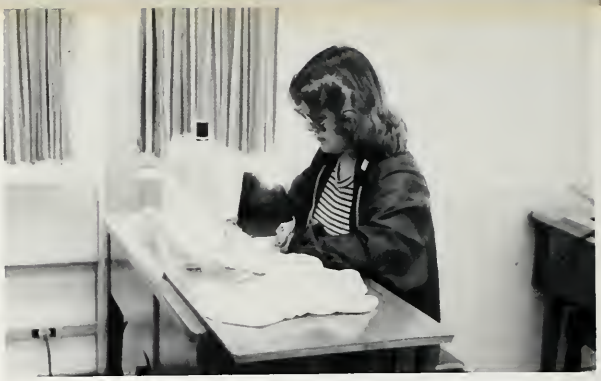
FHA Busy!

This year's Future Homemakers of America were busy. In the Fall they held the FFA-FHA Barn Dance. FHA members made refreshments for the dance. On January 12th, they sponsored a sock-hop to celebrate the end of the first semester. Money raised from this aided in purchasing gifts for the annual Parents Night Banquet held in April. The banquet was a carry-in dinner. The senior officers were presented silk rose corsages and engraved pen sets. A gold initialed necklace was presented to Mrs. Busch by the seniors. The club also went on a field trip to a garment plant and thrift shop.



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#1. Cindy Alexander sews on her Home Ec. project.

#2. Lisa Kitchen, Debbie Deeter, Terri Blanke, and Lori Wright serve refreshments for the North Central Evaluating team.

#3. FHA members, row one: T. Conrad—reporter, T. Blanke, D. Deeter—secretary, L. Wright—v. pres., L. Kitchen—president, Mrs. Busch. Row two: L. Samons, S. Alexander, T. Bower, V. Prater, V. Kellems, D. Wagner, B. Butzin. Row three: C. Alexander, L. Beals, S. Smith, S. Smith, D. Shepherd, D. Newcomer, M. Winters. Row four: C. Carver, M. Grey, T. Metz, C. Palmer, M. Watson, R. Slisher. Row five: L. Draper, A. Reahard, T. Hoover, M. Wright, P. Dilling.

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#4. FFA members, row one: Mr. Sweet, L. Allen, K. Dilling, P. VanBuskirk, D. Stanley, D. Wilcox, L. Beals, J. Biehl, T. Dawes, N. Vrooman, Mr. Harts. Row two: D. Holmes, D. Nelson, D. Warford, M. Daugherty, M. Hoover, L. Carver, D. Eads, B. Reed, C. Allman, G. Miller, T. McVoy. Row three: R. Griffey, L. Hipsher, M. Lucas, C. Palmer, D. Hoover, A. Clark, S. Smith, B. Davis, B. Eltzroth, R. Biehl, B. Baker. Row four: T. Krom, T. Wuensch, S. Kirtlan, R. Treska, S. Strange, T. Shoemaker, R. Cameron, E. Ringel, B. Houlihan, C. Winterowd, V. Dunphy. Row five: J. Southworth, T. Krom, R. Eltzroth, J. Bauer, B. Harris, T. Shafer, J. Johnson, K. Dawes, G. Miller, E. Sinclair, B. Frieden. Row six: R. Griffey, P. Woodward, D. Metzger, L. Wrisk, B. Norman, R. Azbell, V. Clay, K. Clark, B. Allman, D. Griffey, T. Burgess. Row seven: T. Vigar, K. Snyder, J. Borelli, D. Wilcox, E. Gottschalk, D. Kochenour, T. Keffaber, A. Weitzel, M. Schuler, J. Hampton, B. Townsend. Row eight: M. Goodpaster, S. Long, M. Williams, M. Hobbs, S. Patton, M. Meyer, L. Chain, T. Dyson, B. Chamberlain, B. Frank, S. Haupert. Top row: D. Shelton, D. Draper, B. Hosier.

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FFA at 50

One of the largest and most active clubs at NHS is the FFA, which celebrated its 50th anniversary this year. There were about 100 members in Northfield's chapter. In September they held their annual tractor pull and sponsored a donkey basketball game in November to raise money. Their spring money-making project was the seed sales. The seniors took a field trip to Chicago and the juniors went to Louisville. At the spring Alumni Banquet in March Lori Beals was named FFA Sweetheart. Tony Keffaber was awarded the Star Greenhand Award.

The chapter won the district FFA competition, and the crops judging team went on to state. Northfield's FFA Chapter placed 13th in the state, making it consistently in the top 20 chapters each year. Officers were: Kent Dilling, president; Brian Baker, v. pres.; Ken Dawes, sec.; Rex Biehl, treas.; Mike Schuler, reporter; Mike Hoover, sentinal.

#5. Leadership Contest winners: Rex Biehl and Brian Baker.

#6. The crops judging team that went on to State were, sitting: Alan Weitzel, Mike Schuler. Standing: Darreld Stanley, Brian Baker.

#7. Lori Beals, FFA Sweetheart.

Spirit In Our Britches

"You wanna' take away my gusto? You wanna' take away my pride? Well, you can't take my gusto and you can't have my pride, 'cause the mighty Northfield Norsemen are leavin' you behind!" So went the season with the 90 membered NHS cheerblock . . . cheering, yelling, and backing the Norse to victory after victory. Seniors wore their traditional cords with the rest of the block wearing navy blue sweaters. Whether they "stood up and leaned" or "shouted it out", they were always on hand to "let their spirits flow."

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#1. During the last home game of the season some 20 senior cheerblock members received red roses for their years of service to the NHS cheerblock.

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#2. Robbie Keaffaber may not be a member of the cheerblock, but that doesn't seem to dampen his spirits any.

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#3. Bottom row: M. Grey, N. Yentes, A. Breedlove, K. Bricker, T. Baer, P. Plant, D. Swart, J. Tiede, D. Norman; second row: C. Boyer, R. Kramer, L. Wright, T. Blanke, L. Kitchen, D. Deeter, R. Chowning, R. Crumrine, M. Daugherty, L. Driscoll; third row: R. Mowery, A. Risher, L. Beals, T. Lawrence, J. Slee, B. Daniel, S. Weesner, R. Chamberlain, T. Yentes, S. Francis; fourth row: J. Minniear, S. Schenkel, B. Elrod, L. Force, D. Wagner, T. Yocum, T. Deeter, K. Tiede, D. Dawes, D. Baber; fifth row: K. Smith, J. Renbarger, M. Forrester, L. Kitchen, B. Deeter, T. Frehse, D. Carr, B. Joy, T. Metz, M. Shaw; sixth row: K. Ogan, C. Dunphy, K. Smith, M. Wright, S. Pefley, M. Carr, L. Long, A. McKillip, C. Deeter, L. Allen; seventh row: L. Long, F. Engelman, R. Yocum, J. Baer, D. Driscoll, D. Weisman, L. Brodbeck, L. Smith, M. Ogan, T. Tyner; eighth row: L. Blanke, J. Grandstaff, S. Sturgill, P. Hapner, S. Davis, T. Hug, D. Miller, R. Weller, D. Warford, T. Domin, M. Stevens.

Fellowship of Christian Athletes

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#1. Row one: Mrs. Miller, L. Reed, T. Deeter, C. Kasamis, R. Keaffaber, R. Sesco, T. Polk, D. Stanley, Mr. Miller. Row two: J. Tiede, K. Bricker, L. Kitchen, J. Renbarger, L. Sesco, K. Tiede, S. Rice. Row three: D. Baber, D. Swart, P. Plant, L. Kitchen, L. Allen, K. Dawes, J. Smith.

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Early Thursday and Friday mornings members of the FCA could be found wandering down the halls to classroom 105. There each chapter would meet and study different religious cultures. Last summer, three boys attended an FCA conference in Northfield, Minnesota at St. Olaf College. Attending were: John Chowning, John Johnson, and Ken Dawes. An "Almost Anything Goes" contest was held on Sunday, April 22nd. This was a get-together of all the FCA chapers in Wabash County.

The officers for the girls' chapter were: president, T. Deeter; vice president, K. Tiede; secretary, P. Plant; and treasurer, D. Baber.

#2. Chris Kasamis and Mr. Kaltenmark make plans for the next F.C.A. meeting.

Cheerleaders Create Enthusiasm

Go Big Blue!

Even before the 78-79 school year began the Northfield cheerleaders were getting "fired up" at various cheerleading camps. They were preparing for a year which was to be filled with pride and spirit. The cheerleaders cheered the Norse through a super year of sports and kept spirit alive at pep sessions. They also decorated the trophy case for sectional and the boys' lockers throughout the year. From the seventh grade cheerleaders to the varsity cheerleaders, Northfield was well represented at football and basketball games. These girls should be congratulated for their endless efforts to maintain the spirit, pride, and sportsmanship at NHS.

#1. Varsity cheerleader from left to right: Diane Swart, Danette Norman, Julianne Tiede, Teresa Baer, and Patty Plant.

#2. J.V. cheerleaders sitting: Nora Yentes, Ann Breedlove. Kneeling: Missy Grey, Kelly Bricker.

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#3. Seventh grade cheerleaders from top to bottom: Valerie Wilcox, Shelly Gamsby, Kelly McCammack, Missy Farmer.

#4. Eighth grade cheerleaders from top to bottom: Denise Warford, Lisa Smith, Janelle Baer, and Deanne Driscoll.

#5. Freshmen cheerleaders left to right: Susan Pefley, Angie Reahard, Anne Urschel, and Lisa Snavely.

They Add Sparkle to the Band

"Anybody got any hairspray?"
"Oh my gosh, I forgot my boots!"
"Remember to snap, flags!"
"I got a runner in my hose!"
"Only three minutes til halftime!"
"Can I use your blush?"
"Where are my pom poms?"
"I know I'll drop my rifle!"
"Is anything showing?"
"Does my hair look alright?"
"Line up!"
"I forget what comes next!"
"Only ten seconds, you guys!"
"Let's go!"
"Smile, poms!"
"Good luck, everybody!"
"This is it!"

Conversations such as these were not uncommon in the dressing room before a game. In fact, they were almost a ritual. But once in front of a crowd the Norsettes shook, snapped, and spun to the delight of many and added sparkle to the band.

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#1. The three corps spent many nights after school working out new routines and maneuvers.

#2. Rifle girls practice their spin taps, double times, and aerials during ninth period band.

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#3. Pom pom corps from left to right: Julie Rees, Tammy Lawrence, Lori Sweet, Lisa Beals, Dana Dawes, Marcia Daugherty, Terri Blanke, Cambi Rensberger, Michelle Miller, and Rosie Kramer.

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=4. Rifle corps, bottom row: Belinda Applegate, Linda Beals, Sharon Smith, Mary Shaw. Top row: Lori Beals, Pam Staton, Betty Bolin, and Mary Kay Wright.

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=5. Snapping, spinning, and presenting became the flag girls' way of life after the long hours they put in during the year.

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=6. Flag corps from left to right: Rhonda Mowery, Dawn Baber, Julie Minniear, Dawn Wagner, Lori Hipsher, Steffany Smith, Julie Renbarger, Teresa Hoover, Beth Wagner, and Cindy Carver.

Bands Provide Students With Music

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#1. High School Band members, row one: L. Driscoll, D. Norman, J. Tiede, T. Lawrence, T. Shambaugh, A. McKillip, A. Risher, N. Yentes, D. Gautschi. Row two: M. Daugherty, M. Carr, C. Rensberger, K. Foster, M. McKillip, C. Stanley, A. Reahard, C. Palmer, R. Mowery, J. Minniear, M. Shaw, L. Reed, D. VanPetten, S. Francis. Row three: S. Smith, M. Forrester, M. Miller, T. Hoover, D. Shear, J. Rees, L. Brodbeck, L. Guttrich, C. Deeter, D. Weisman, L. Snavely, B. Elrod, B. Squires, J. Hammel, J. Barnett, D. Kelly, K. Gautschi, J. Slee, J. Draper, K. Haupert, J. Lawrence, B. Trump, C. Long, J. Krom, D. Singer. Row four: B. Treska, B. Wagner, D. Yocum, P. Staton, S. Francis, S. Bowman, L. Kitchen, S. White, S. Pefley, C. Carpenter, K. Reed, G. Trump, G. Reed, S. Kirtlan, D. Sparling, G. Metz, J. Richardson, W. Schultz, Director Mike Miller, T. Polk, R. Engelman, N. Yentes, T. Frehse, D. Singer, R. Reed, D. Hoover.

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#2. Stage Band members, row one: A. McKillip, B. Trump, K. Gautschi, C. Long, G. Trump, D. Singer, D. Kelly, D. Gautschi. Row two: D. Hoover, C. Deeter, R. Engelman, D. Singer, J. Gackenheimer, G. Metz, D. Sparling, T. Polk, S. Bowman, S. White, C. Carpenter, L. Kitchen, D. Yocum, S. Pefley, C. Stanley.

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#3. Junior High Band members, row one: H. Haupert, M. McCammack, S. Weesner, D. Pressler, L. Calaway, M. Bone, L. Blanke, A. Milton, R. Grossman. Row two: G. Guttrich, M. Brewer, J. Gifford, L. Long, S. Wolfrum, L. Snapp, J. Gibson, C. Miller, J. Grandstaff, F. Terrell, S. Overman, B. Reed, P. Pepple, T. Dunlay, M. Kitchen, P. Hapner. Row three: J. Strange, L. Wilson, S. Clonts, A. Murray, L. Hashbarger, S. Miller, R. Palmer, H. Staton, J. Prater, T. Hug, T. Shear, C. Wendt, C. Collins, J. Keppel, D. Mason, M. Lauer, D. Tester, C. Gautschi.

The three bands at Northfield give many performances, concerts, and shows. During the summer there is still another band known as the summer marching band. It is this band that performs most of the summer in various parades and contests. This year the Marching Norsemen captured first place at the Roann Festival Parade on September 9th, beating Wabash for the first time that summer. On August 23rd the band competed at the State Fair in Indianapolis, placing 30th. The band went on to place sixth out of 18 bands at the NISBOVA Band Contest on October 7th. Bruce Trump was the major of the Marching Norsemen.

During the winter and spring the junior high and high school concert bands give two to three concerts and compete in the NISBOVA band contest. This year their Christmas concert was December 20th. At NISBOVA the high school band received a first place rating.

The Northfield stage band works hard during the year preparing for varsity basketball games and other performances. This band plays more popular songs and is "jazzier" than the concert band.

Best Choirs N.H.S. Has Ever Had!

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#1. Row one: J. Slee, D. Waggoner, M.K. Wright, L. Force, R. Arrick, J. Ruley, J. Dock, K. Tudor, C. Bohnhoff, S. Weesener, M. Shaw, D. Norman, K. Fearnow, G. Shepherd, B. Daniels, K. Smith, C. Carver, B. Deeter. Row two: T. Conrad, L. Stouffer, B. Collins, C. Reed, K. Gautschi, B. Butzin, B. Applegate, K. Burnsworth, D. Farmer, M. McKillip, L. Bone, K. Reahard, J. Benzinger, D. Newcomer, B. Joy, P. Dilling. Row three: L. Gaston, K. Clupper, J. Chowning, B. Frieden, J. Smith, T. Cornett, D. Bone, G. Reed, B. Trump, K. Reed, G. Trump.

This year's Varsity Choir contained 50 members. It was the biggest choir in the past five years.

Tom Watt products were sold for the first independent, choral fund raising project. They earned over $3,000.00 through this project.

The Choir had many performances. The Christmas Concert was held on December 13 at 7:30 p.m. Their Spring Concert was held on May 9 at 7:30 p.m. Besides these concerts, the Choir had 12 members to participate in Honors Choir. They sang for the Kawanis Club, on Honors Night, and at graduation.

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#2. Gregg Reed and Sherri Weesner share a friendly joke as they compare their newly received robes.

Jr. High Choir 106 Strong

One hundred and six members made up the 1978-1979 Jr. High Choir. They also participated in the Christmas and Spring Concerts under the direction of Mr. Steve Henderson. The members are listed below in alphabetical order.

Applegate, David
Baer, Janelle
Bauer, Jerry
Benson, Brian
Benson, Michelle
Bone, Michelle
Boring, Bobby
Bull, Susan
Burnsworth, Susan
Butzin, Veronica
Calaway, Lori
Campbell, Connie
Clonts, Sue
Cooper, April
Daniel, Albro
Davis, Stephanie
Dock, Mike
Domin, Teresa
Driscoll, Deanna
Dunfee, Tim
Dunphy, Jill
Dyer, Sherri
Dyson, Roger
Eltzroth, Rebbecca
Engelman, Faye
Farmer, Melissa
Feanow, Shelly
Ferguson, Autie
Frank, Penelope
Frieden, Diana
Gamsby, Rachelle
Gamsby, Riley
Gidley, Casey
Gray, Diane
Hall, Donna
Hapner, Gary
Haupert, Haralnd
Haupert, Robert
Helvey, Angela
Hinrichsen, Bill
Hite, Kenny
Hively, Joyce
Hobbs, Carma
Hobbs, Kris
Hoppes, Cathy
Hosier, Martha
Jones, Clayton
Joy, Henry
Keffaber, Todd
Kerr, Angie
Knott, Vicki
Long, Laura
Lucas, Fred
Mason, Jenny
Mason, David
McCammack, Mandy
McCammack, Michela
Miller, Mitzi
Miller, Sheryl
Milton, Ami
Murray, Angela
O'Dell, Julie
Ogan, Mandy
Ogan, Karin
Overman, Shawn
Patton, Anita
Pressler, Debbie
Proctor, John
Resler, Brenda
Ringel, Bobby
Roberts, Tim
Rogers, Paula
Schlemmer, Dee Ann
Schultz, Karen
Shepherd, Devon
Simpson, Rhonda
Slee, Todd
Smith, Tinnie
Smith, Lisa
Snapp, Lisa
Southworth, Joy
Squires, Amy
Stellar, Brian
Stevens, Mary
Sturgill, Sandy
Sturgill, Sonia
Swihart, Carol
Tackett, Lisa
Tyner, Trisha
Warford, Denise
Warnock, Kevin
Weitzel, Diane
Weller, Rae Jean
White, Lori
Wilson, Angela
Wilson, Lori
Wilson, Eric
Wolfrum, Stacie
Womack, Bryan
Woodward, Kathy
Woodward, Kris
Wright, Lynnette
Wrisk, Mandy
Yentes, James
Yocum, Roberta

"Would You Like to Buy a Paper?"

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#1. Row one: D. McKenzie, L. Wright, T. Blanke, L. Kitchen, D. Baber, J. Christie. Row two: T. Rogers, S. Francis, L. Force, S. Wilson, N. Yentes, C. Rensberger, V. Bassi. Row three: D. Holmes, J. Warnock, T. Dawes, D. Dawes, D. Deeter, K. Tiede, R. Mowery.

Every month one could see people roaming the cafeteria at lunch asking, "Would you like to buy a paper?" The paper, of course, was none other than the North Star. The journalism class had another successful year in selling the school paper.

New columns such as Rudes and Rumors, Picture Page, Creative Corner, and Word Search were enjoyed by everyone.

The editor for this group was Tina Rogers and Miss Waggoner was the sponsor. The North Star staff and sponsor should be commended for their fine efforts and another successful year.

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#2. Miss Waggoner lends a helping hand to Julie Minniear and Cambi Rensberger, while Todd Dawes just lends a hand.

#3. Dana Dawes sells the Christmas issue to Scott Long. It contained the baby pictures of all the members of the staff.

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SHIELD: Best Yet!

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Even though the "Shield room" is famous for gab sessions, messes, and broken typewriters, it is the place where the yearbook begins.

This year's book was made possible by a hard working staff. Although most of the work was done by a small group, several pitched-in and eased the load. Co-editors for this year were Ruth Chowning and Lisa Beals. They selected the theme "Big Blue Is Back" after attending journalism camp at I.U. The adviser was Mrs. Kitt.

#4. After looking at a layout, Jeff Draper, Kathryn Tiede, Lisa Beals, Ruth Chowning pose for the photographer.

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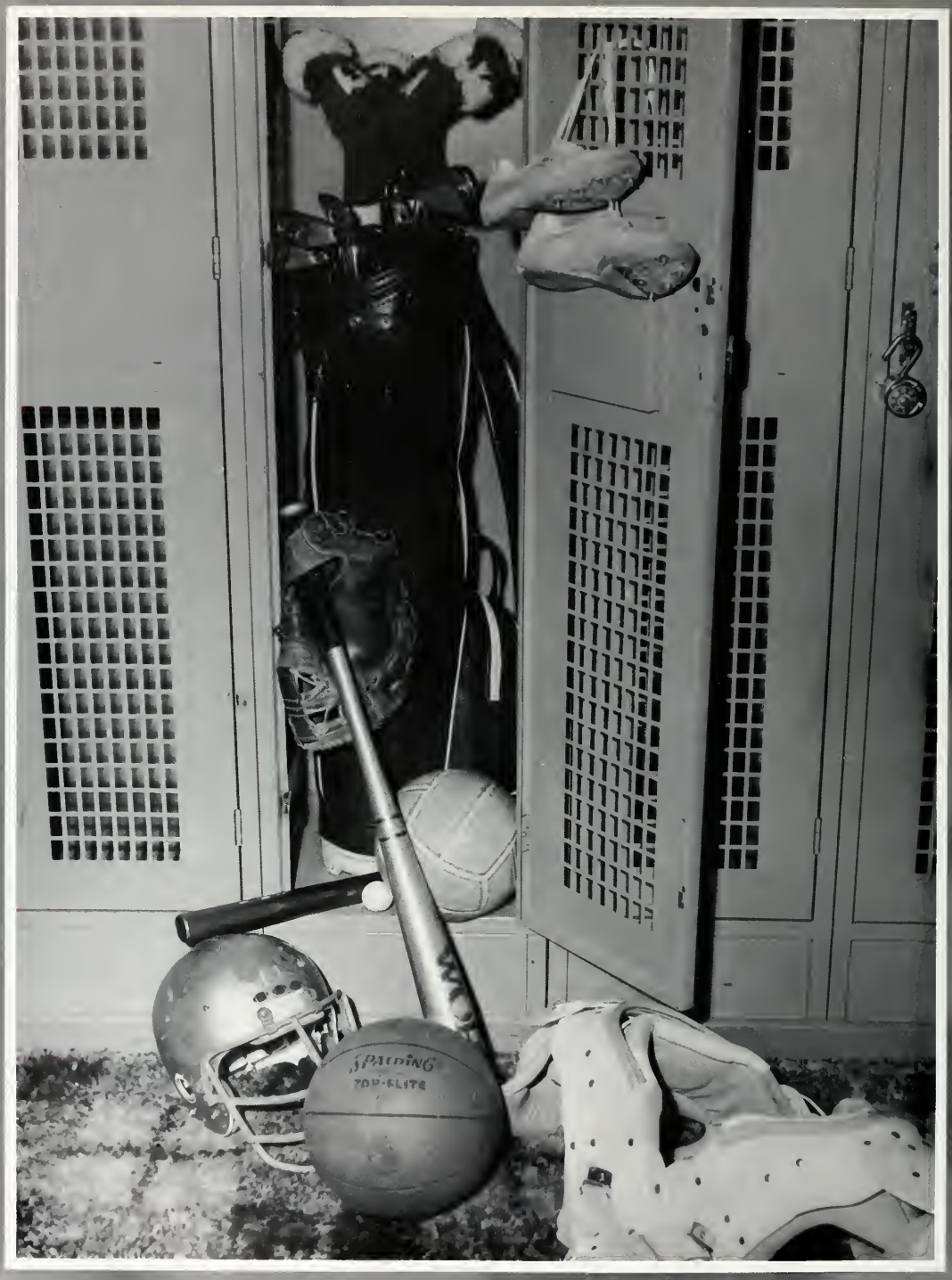
#5. Row one: T. Blanke, L. Wright, L. Kitchen, R. Kramer, T. Lawrence, L. Beals, J. Draper, R. Chowning, S. Wilson, D. Deeter, R. Arrick, Mrs. Kitt. Row two: T. Frehse, T. Lindzy, T. Metz, L. Green, T. Martin, J. Minnear, C. Rensbarger, D. Dawes, K. Tiede, S. Schenkel, T. Conrad, M. Forrester, L. Sweet. Row three: R. Engelman, B. Flott, B. Squires, J. Draper, N. Yentes, D. Shepherd, L. Beals, D. Baber, C. Snyder, B. Higgley, L. Beals, H. Haupert, K. Eilts. Row four: T. Polk, M. McCammack, A. Squires, B. Treska, L. Brodbeck, J. Barnett, S. Long, L. Sesco, J. Rees, M. Miller, C. Jones.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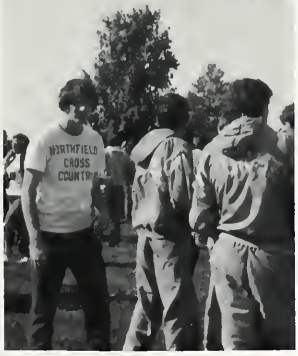

You, the athletes, were training hard, practicing the basics, learning the rules and keeping them. You were the ones who had the bruises, sweaty uniforms, self-control and determination.

You, the coaches, were planning strategy, compiling drills, and lifting team spirits. You suffered over the fouls, strikes, and interceptions, yet helped each individual to develop assets and overcome weaknesses.

You, the fans, were the ones who gave support through wins or losses. You shouted the words of encouragement that plunged the team on to greater work.

Together you made up the athletic department: It's spirit, pride, and SPORTSMANSHIP!

Norse Continue Winning Tradition

The 1978 Fighting Norsemen varsity football team surprised most of the "experts" and turned in a series of stellar performances during the season. In the course of the year the Norse emerged as one of the top Class A football powers in Indiana and narrowly missed a District Ten play-off spot.

Led by a fine group of seniors, the Norse won early season upset games from Southwood and Westfield. The Big Blue scored one of the biggest Homecoming victories in NHS history by thrashing Twin Lakes 26-7. The coaching staff credits the fine attitude of the boys for the 7-3 record achieved by the Norsemen.

—Coach Jim Kaltenmark

#1. Randy Shafer experiences the disadvantages of being alone with the football.

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#2. Seniors sitting: Bob Kochenour, Brian Reed, Robbie Keaffaber, Randy Shafer, Rick Sesco, Jason France, Darreld Stanley, Tom Polk, David Sausaman, Nathan Vrooman. Row two: Jeff Williams, Scott Hipsher, Ken Dawes, John Johnson, Scott Harris, John Chowning, Varnell Clay, Tim Shafer, Gregg Reed, David Ault. Row three: Asst. coach Steve Brubaker, Asst. coach Craig Winegardner, Eric Sinclair, Ken Lindzy, Kent Dilling, Larry Blair, Dan Metzger, Steve McBrayer, manager Jay Bauer, Head coach Jim Kaltenmark. Row four: Jeff Smith, Jim Holmes, Keith Clark, Kevin Reed, Chris Arrick, Mike DeVore, Mike Carroll.

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VARSITY FOOTBALL

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
12	Southwood	9
21	Westfield	7
7	Tippicanoe Valley	34
57	Whites	0
47	North Miami	6
12	Triton	0
26	Twin Lakes	7
12	Wabash	14
3	Whitko	24
14	Manchester	7

#3. Workouts are long, hard, and tiring, but essential for a winning season. Jason France, Randy Shafer, and Scott Harris prepare to receive a pass.

#4. Nathan Vrooman, quarterback, seems to be very popular among the Apaches, but there's no stopping him when he's carrying the ball.

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1. Kneeling: Scott Long, Hite Sinclair, Doug Wilcox, Jay Smith, Tony Keffaber. Row two: Howie Powell, Coach Coppler, Mike Sweet, Lonnie Good, Jamie Krom, Jeff Richardson, Robert Macaluso, Sam White, Coach Campbell. Row three: Robbie Samons, Ed Gottschalk, Troy Dyson, Scott Titus, Dave Olmstead, Bryan McBrayer, Doug Kasamis.

Frosh Break Records

The freshman football team finished another traditional winning season with a 4-3 record. Several school records were broken by Keaffaber, Olmstead, Smith, Dyson, Richardson, and Titus.

—Coach Mark Coppler

FRESHMAN FOOTBALL

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
6	Tippecanoe Valley	14
22	North Miami	12
2	Caston	0
0	Salamonie	26
12	Crestview	6
8	Southwood	20
14	Manchester	12

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2. Team scrimmages are a good way to practice and sharpen fundamentals.

Jr. High Gains Experience

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#1. Seventh grade football team, bottom row: Bryan Womack, Todd Shear, Todd Keffaber, Howard Halderman, Mark Kitchen. Row two: Jim Lipp, Todd Slee, Kris Woodwork, Tom Dunlay, Herman Staton, Darrin Harvey, Bill Tudor, Brett Arrick, Coach Wenrich. Row three: Eric Wilson, Andy Drook, Jay Reed, Randy Leach, Mike Rees, Jim Bricker, Randy Petitt, Robert Smith.

During the last week of August '78 the class of 1984 began their first quest for victory as Northfield Norsemen. During the first few practices, the young Norse became aware of the basics necessary to become successful gridders. Stances, flexibilities, plays, sprints, huddles, and teamwork became a part of their regular day. On offense, tackles, the center, and guards did an excellent job opening holes for our fine runners. The defense showed the fans they were improving by playing outstanding defensive games against Akron, Southwood, and Manchester. One member of the "staff", manager Albro Daniel, deserves great thanks for his dedication to the team.

—Coach Jim Wenrich

SEVENTH GRADE FOOTBALL

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
8	Caston	6
28	Akron	8
24	Southwood	0
6	North Miami	6
8	Wabash	32
18	Manchester	6

EIGHTH GRADE FOOTBALL

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
0	Caston	6
42	Akron	0
6	Southwood	20
0	North Miami	6
6	Wabash	0
8	Manchester	26

The Northfield eighth grade football season proved to be exciting and educational, as the young Norse compiled a 2-4 record. The big play proved to be the villian of the Norse as they fell victim to Caston, North Miami, and Southwood in their gridiron encounters. Looking to the future, those victories achieved over Wabash and Akron along with the defensive play shown during the season, should prove to be the incentive for these players to continue their career in the program.

—Coach Joe Groover

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#2. Eighth grade football team, bottom row: Frank Hayslip, Brad Beals, Tim Wuensch, Andy Stephanatos, Mike Orpurt, Scott Siders, Jerry Baur. Row two: Ed Gullet, Richie Simpson, Duke Deeter, Mike Gardner, Brian Benson, Mike Enser, Tim Weitzel, manager Casey Gidley. Row three: Coach Joe Groover, Tim Hinrichson, Clark Wendt, Randy Carroll, Roger Kunkel, Fred Carroll, Todd Miller.

Hustlin' Harriers!

The 1978 Cross-Country team enjoyed one of the most successful years in Northfield's history. Sporting a 12-5 record, the Norsemen harriers were also second in the TRC meet, sixth in the Wabash Invitational, ninth in the Manchester Invitational, fifth in the Sectional. Sophomores Scott Kaufman, Bob Flott, Kyle Kelly, Bill Miller, and Stan Kirtland finished first in the sophomore division of the Bloomington Invitational.

Some of the most memorable moments of the season were the camping trip to Brown County State Park, practice at Salamonie Forest, running through Wabash, morning work-outs . . . with breakfast. The season went very fast even though our 14 runners ran over 7600 miles in work-outs. Dedication, desire, and determination were key ingredients for our team as they ran many miles during the summer months in preparation for our successful season.

The Most Valuable Runner award was presented to sophomore Scott Kaufman and senior Lalon Allen. The Most Improved Runner award was won by sophomore Bob Flott and the Most Miles Run during the season was won by Scott Kaufman.

Congratulations to this year's Cross-Country team for a most successful and enjoyable year. Keep up the good work, fellas!

—Coach Dick Leming

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= 1. Sophomore Scott Kaufman finishes another tiring run. Scott went on to regional this year.

= 2. The Cross Country team received support from the community as well as the school.

= 3. The guys spend some time before the race getting psyched up.

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#4. Standing: Stan Kirtland, Bill Miller, Dirk Singer, Jeff Draper, Jeff Clark, Doug Warford, Stan Bowman, Coach Dick Leming. Kneeling: Bob Flott, Scott Kaufman, Lalon Allen, Steve Shafer, Dave Singer, Pat Knoblock, Kyle Kelly.

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CROSS COUNTRY

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
25	Wabash	30
37	Huntington North	22
40	Warsaw	21
23	Westfield	35
15	Southwood	48
23	North Miami	38
15	Marion Bennett	49
21	Tippecanoe Valley	37
17	Huntington Catholic	41
	Bloomington Invitational	
17	Caston	45
22	Triton	35
28	Eastbrook	27
27	Whites	28
(6th)	Wabash Invitational	
41	Manchester	18
20	Whitko	35
(9th)	Manchester Invitational	
	Maconaquah	
(2nd)	Conference	
18	Oak Hill	37
(5th)	Sectional	

#5. Bill Miller, Coach Leming, and Bob Flott share a few laughs before the race.

#6. Juniors Stan Bowman, Dave Singer, and Doug Warford are either lost or avoiding running.

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1. Row one: Marcia Daugherty, Leslie Driscoll, Carla Boyer, Chris Kasamis, Tina Rogers, Coach Honeycutt. Row two: Marla Carr, Cathy Deeter, Laurie Rice, Betsy Deeter, Tammy Deeter, Linda Kitchen, Darla Carr.

VARSITY AND JUNIOR VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

Opponent	Varsity Team	Junior Varsity Team
Wabash	Lost	Won
Whitko	Won	Won
Tippecanoe Valley	Won	Won
North Manchester	Won	Won
Huntington North	Won	Lost
North Miami	Won	Won
Southwood	Won	Won
Mississinewa	Lost	Won
Marion Bennett	Lost	Won
Eastbrook	Lost	Won
COUNTY TOURNEY	Won	
SECTIONAL		
Huntington North	Won	
Bluffton	Lost	

2. Row one: Susan Rice, Debbie Shear, Diane Norwood, Tammy Thompson, Darla Carr. Row two: Mendy Neal, Beth Treska, Julie Rensbarger, Laurie Rice, Lisa Allen, Linda Kitchen, Coach Dundore.

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County Champs!

The Norse girls had an outstanding season finishing with a record of 11 wins and 5 losses. The girls captured the third straight County Championship, and also won the Three Rivers Conference Championship. The girls were unbeaten in conference play. Betsy Deeter, sophomore, and Tammy Deeter, junior, were selected first team all conference.

The girls faced the toughest schedule ever this year. The major strengths of this team were their determination and team play.

A special thanks to all the players for their hard work and dedication. We will certainly miss the leadership and experience of our seniors. However, this young squad has many successful seasons to look forward to. Working with such a fine group of girls makes coaching a very rewarding and enjoyable position.

—Coach Theresa Honeycutt

The J.V. team had a tremendous season this year compiling a record of 9-1. Freshman Laurie Rice led the girls in spikes and Julie Rensbarger led in overall points scored.

A great amount of success can be attributed to the J.V. bench: Susan Rice, Debbie Shear, and Tammy Thompson. These girls supported the team in every aspect of the game. A special thanks to these ten girls for their enthusiasm and dedication. This squad can look forward to many more successful seasons if they work hard.

—Coach Lucy Dundore

Eighth Grade Works Hard

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#1. Row one: Veronica Butzin, Trisha Tyner, Paula Rogers, Denise Warford, Roberta Yocum, Lori Wilson. Row two: Felicia Terrell, Jody Gifford, Lisa Smith, Gina Guttrich, Joy Southworth, Amy Milton, Susan Bull. Row three: Coach Moffett, Faye Engelman, Teresa Dorman, Mandy Ogan, Rachel Grossman, Kim Quinn, Kelly Phillips.

The Eighth grade girls' volleyball team ended their season with a 2-4 record. The girls worked very hard all season and learned a lot. I was pleased with the effort put forth by the team.

—Coach Monte Moffett

8TH GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL

OPPONENT	W/L
Wabash	Lost
Wabash	Lost
N. Miami	Won
Southwood	Won
Marion Bennett	Lost
Southwood	Lost

Seventh Grade Girls Enthusiastic

The Seventh grade basketball team consisted of 18 enthusiastic girls. Each girl put forth a lot of effort to make an enjoyable season for everyone. Our record was 2-4, with our winning matches being against North Miami and Marion Bennett.

—Coach Nancy Breiner

7TH GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL

OPPONENT	W/L
Wabash	Lost
Wabash	Lost
N. Miami	Won
Southwood	Lost
Marion Bennett	Won
Southwood	Lost

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#2. Row one: Tari Wilson, Jenny James, Lori Blanke, Amy Squires, Stephanie Davis, Angie Helvie, Angie Wilson, Janet Allen, Lisa Snapp, Teresa Bowman. Row two: Coach Breiner, Carol Christie, Lynette Wright, Becky Elzroth, Tracy Ferguson, Karin Ogan, Lynn Christman, Tina Meyer, Tricia Hug, Toni Wilson.

Three Go to Regional

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#1. Varsity wrestling team, row one: Jason France, Darreld Stanley, Rick Sesco, Tom Polk, Ken Haupert. Row two: Jamie Krom, Steve McBrayer, Gregg Reed, Keith Clark, Roger Engelman, Danny Sparling, Rick Reahard, Howie Powell. Row three: Coach Campbell, Doug Kasamis, Brian Norman, Kevin Reed, Jim Holmes, Kyle Kelly, Jeff Smith, Varnell Clay, Jeff Williams, Jim Clay.

VARSITY WRESTLING

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
30	Peru	40
22	Whitko	46
29	North Miami	38
26	Maconaquah	47
18	Triton	40
32	Wabash	26
48	Tippecanoe Valley	24
24	Manchester	36
20	Southwood	39
22	North Western	33
28	Oak Hill	33
42	Mississinewa	21
	Conference 7th	
	Sectional 5th	

#2. The Norse wrestlers watch from the side the activity on the mats.

#3. Senior, Darreld Stanley, takes down his opponent.

#4. Senior, Jason France, strikes a pose for the photographer. Jason went to the Semi-State this year.

This year's wrestling team gained valuable experience while compiling a 3-9 season record. The seniors will be missed, but the future looks bright with the large number of returning underclassmen. Seniors, Jason France and Russ Waldon, and junior, Kent Dilling, represented Northfield in the Regional. Jason and Russ placed second and third, respectively, with Jason advancing to the Semi-State. Russ finished the season with a 16-6 record and Jason with a 21-5 record. Both have wrestled for four years.

—Coach Bill Campbell

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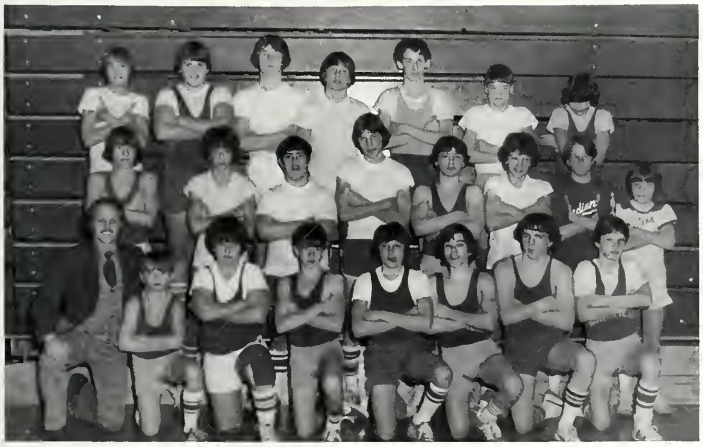

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#5. Russell Waldon finds himself in a rather strange position during one of his matches. Russell went on to the Regional.

#6. Members of the Jr. High wrestling team, row one: Coach Fred Griffith, John Proctor, Scott Siders, Steve Kirtlan, John Miller, David Mason, Tim Weitzel, Jerry Bauer. Row two: Bryan Cox, Casey Gidley, Andy Stafanatos, Clark Wendt, Herman Staton, Russell Quillen, Lonnie Snowberger, Todd Slee. Row three: Henry Joy, Mike Enser, Tim Dunfee, Richie Simpson, Randy Leach, Howard Halderman, and Wayne Cox.

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#1. County Team: Row one: Scott Hipsher, Craig Chittick, Gary Trump, Duane Wilcox, Chris Arrick, Steve Shafer. Second row: Coach Desper, Tim Shafer, Randy Kline, Nathan Vrooman, Todd Dawes, Jay Biehl, Jeff Mowery, Coach Unger.

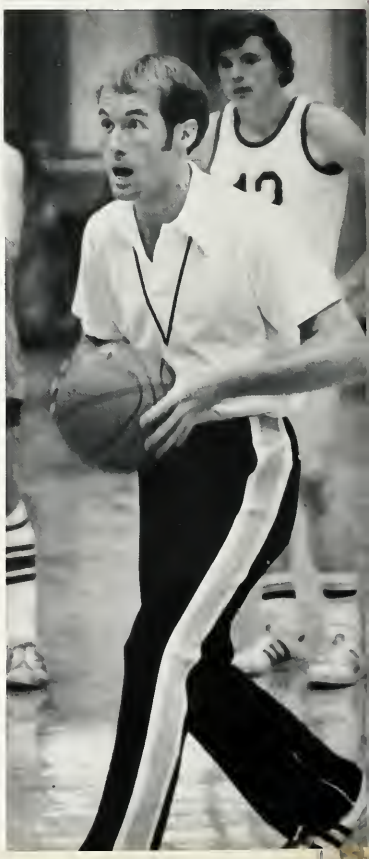
They're Number 1 In The County

VARSITY BASKETBALL

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
75	Southwood	77
52	Whitko	74
64	Oak Hill	63
79	Tippecanoe Valley	63
67	North Miami	56
77	White's	40
66	Churubusco	61
54	North Manchester	69
72	Huntington Catholic	61
52	Eastbrook	61
69	Triton	63
54	Northwestern	51
78	Eastern	82
54	Wabash	51
76	Maconaquah	78
70	Marion Bennett	79
57	Wawasee	60
78	Southwood	74
Wabash County Tourney—Champions		
74	North Manchester	68
	Sectional	
52	Wabash	48
46	Southwood	47

I feel the 1978-79 Northfield Basketball team has a lot to be proud of. I've never in my few years of coaching, experienced a more enjoyable year! The County Tourney Championship game against North Manchester was one of the definite high points during the year! I feel our 13-9 record was not really indicative of what we could have been, based on the fact that we lost some very, very close ballgames. The seniors should be commended for the fine job that they did: Wilcox, Dawes, Vrooman, Shafer and Biehl. They are the ones who are responsible for turning Northfield's Basketball around. We've got some fine athletes coming up so next year should be even better. Again, I tip my hat to the seniors who really worked hard to once again establish Big Blue Basketball.

—Coach Unger



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#2. Coach Randy Unger shows the right way to throw a pass . . . a basic fundamental!

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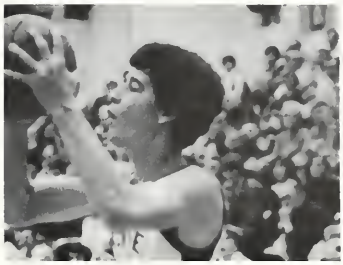
#3. Chris Arrick and Scott Long sell candy to raise money for the basketball team's needs.

#4. "Oh!" says Gary Trump as he looks at the position he's in.

#5. Duane Wilcox, most valuable player, pulls down a rebound and dares his opponent to take it away.



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The Northfield Junior Varsity Basketball team finished the season with 10 wins and 10 losses. The team showed constant improvement throughout the season and displayed excellent team play each game. Anxiously awaiting this next season, these players should make significant contributions to next year's Varsity squad.

—Coach Desper

JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
28	Southwood	26
34	Whitko	41
39	Tippecanoe Valley	52
38	Manchester	58
51	Southwood	36
54	North Miami	45
38	Whites	16
56	Churubusco	37
26	Manchester	51
50	Huntington Catholic	22
39	Eastbrook	32
43	Triton	58
53	Northwestern	40
29	Eastern	31
35	Wabash	39
52	Maconaquah	61
57	Marion Bennett	33
34	Wawasee	41
58	Southwood	27

#6. J.V. team: Left to right: John Johnson, Todd Kline, Scott Harris, Scott Kaufman, Ken Dawes. Second row: Coach Desper, Scott Hipsher, Rick Treska, Doug Wilcox, Gary Miller and Tim Shafer.

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Preparing For The Future

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#1. Row one: Sam White, Brian Chamberlain, Bob Maccoluso, MikeBusch, Robbie Samons, Larry Chain, Scott Titus, Ed Gottschalk. Row two: Coach Alexander, Pat Knoblock, Dave Olmstead, Bruce Trump, Doug Wilcox, Tony Keffaber, Scott Patton, Troy Dyson, Hite Sinclair.

FRESHMAN BASKETBALL

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
59	Marion Bennett	20
41	Eastbrook	46
44	Eastern	45
49	Salamonie	50
43	Tippecanoe Valley	39
30	Wabash	29
57	Manchester	34
44	Southwood	22
70	Caston	20
36	North Miami	37
28	Manchester	29
62	Southwood	33
60	Peru	48
34	Whitko	36
53	Riverview	40
41	Maconaquah	58

After winning a total of five games on the 7th and 8th grade levels, the 1979 Freshman basketball team improved their record to 8 wins against 8 losses. Also worthy of note is that 4 of the 8 losses were by 1 point and one loss was by 2 points. As the team continues to gain confidence in their ability, they will continue to win basketball games on the J.V. and Varsity levels. Dave Olmstead had a tremendous year leading the team in scoring, rebounding, and assists. Also making significant contributions during the year were Tony Keffaber, Pat Knoblock, and Troy Dyson. With some hard work this summer, these boys will be ready to fill their positions in Northfield's future basketball fortunes.

—Coach Don Alexander

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#2. Basketball is a sport of common interest to most Jr. High boys.

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3. Row one: Doug Tester, Jerry Bauer, Russell Quillen, Clay Hollenback, Steve Miller, Steve Kirtlan. Row two: Randy Carroll, Henry Joy, Tim Hinrichsen, Brian Benson, Bryan Deeter, Casey Gidley, Harland Haupert. Row three: Coach Walker, Fred Carroll, Brett Donaldson, Duke Deeter, Todd Miller, Jim Yentes, DeVon Shepherd, Mike Lauer.

Due largely to a lack of overall depth in player personel, this year's young Norse were unable to sustain their hard earned early leads and fell victims to the teams who were stronger and taller. In spite of their lackluster season, the 1978-79 Seventh grade basketball team should provide Northfield with very good athletes and exciting basketball in the next few years.

—Coach Joe Groover

SEVENTH GRADE BASKETBALL

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
19	Salamonie	20
16	Wabash	31
31	Southwood	37
30	Pierceton	40
22	Riverview	30
29	Akron	39
17	Whites	41
18	Peru	33
30	Oak Hill	56
15	Justice	45
28	Crestview	48
23	Manchester	38
29	Maconaquah	14
26	North Miami	17

Northfield's Eighth grade basketball team finished the season with 2 wins over .500. The Norse played excellent basketball the last half of the year. The leading scorers were Duke Deeter and Bryan Deeter. The highlight of the season was a thrilling come from behind victory over Peru, after trailing by 13 points with one minute and 21 seconds to go. These boys have a bright future to work for.

—Coach Dennis Walker

4. Row one: Bryan Reed, Mark Kitchen, Riley Gamsby, Brett Arrick. Row two: Jimmy Bricker, Mike Rees, Jay Reed, Randy Leach, Mike Dock. Row three: Coach Joe Groover, Todd Keffaber, Howard Halderman, Todd Shear, Kevin Warnock.

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EIGHTH GRADE BASKETBALL

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
17	Salamonie	28
42	Wabash	44
44	Southwood	42
38	Pierceton	30
37	Akron	29
39	Whites	41
45	Peru	44
45	Oak Hill	62
34	Justice	49
34	Crestview	50
38	Manchester	58
39	Maconaquah	29
49	North Miami	27
	County Tourney	
43	(Wabash)	30
34	Wabash	28
38	Southwood	39
27	Peru	52
28	North Miami	33

Season of Rebuilding

The young Norse squad faced a tough season of rebuilding, following last year's senior-filled, Semi-State team. This year's schedule was the toughest ever, and every team was out to beat Northfield,

The starting positions were shared by 6 girls: senior, Tina Rogers; junior, Tammy Deeter; sophomores, Linda Kitchen, Betsy Deeter, and Kim Oates; and freshman, Laurie Rice.

The team finished second in the TRC Conference and just missed winning their third straight sectional title by one point in the final seconds of the championship game.

Ending the season with a 9-7 record, Northfield can be proud of this fine group of girls for their hard work and determination. With 5 girls returning, next year's team will have a strong nucleus for another great year.

—Coach Teresa Honeycutt

VARSITY GIRLS BASKETBALL

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
34	Wabash	35
38	Whitko	33
38	North Miami	33
58	North Manchester	56
46	Huntington Catholic	39
38	Lewis Cass	34
38	Tippecanoe Valley	57
57	Mississinewa	48
52	Huntington North	46
50	Marion Bennett	41
56	Warsaw	70
60	Southwood	73

#1. Row one: Leslie Driscoll, Coach Dundore, Coach Honeycutt, Diane Norwood. Row two: Chris Kasamis, Cathy Deeter, Tammy Deeter, Carla Boyer, Betsy Deeter, Marcia Daugherty, Laurie Rice, Kim Oates, Linda Kitchen, Tina Rogers.

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Young Girls Gain Experience

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2. Row one: Debbie Shear, Marla Carr, Tammy Thompson, Darla Allen, Beth Treska, Coach Dundore. Carr. Row two: Mendy Neal, Jenny Draper, Julie Rensbarger, Lisa

This year's junior varsity team had an excellent record considering their size. Seven of the eight players should have been playing as guards, but by the end of the season they had experienced other positions also.

Statistically speaking, we were not strong. We averaged a score of about 23 points per game. However, our opponents averaged only 24 points per game, so the girls did come through when the game was close, especially when it counted.

—Coach Lucy Dundore

3. Each girl must practice hard and develop her own skills, along with having a determination to win.

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JV GIRLS' BASKETBALL

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
23	Wabash	25
25	Whitko	22
31	North Miami	24
22	Manchester	20
16	Huntington Catholic	10
25	Lewis Cass	21
20	Tippecanoe Valley	21
20	Mississinewa	29
17	Huntington North	40
17	Marion Bennett	11
20	Warsaw	41
24	Southwood	23

Jr. High Girls Work Hard

The 1979 7th grade girls' basketball team was made up of twenty enthusiastic girls who were eager to learn how to play basketball. Some were experienced players who needed to polish up their game but the majority of the girls didn't know a lay-up from a home run. The girls had to get busy and practice before the first big game. Being at the bottom of the athletic totem pole at Northfield, the 7th grade girls practiced during the early evenings. The girls quickly learned that basketball is a running game. Twenty laps around the gym floor built up the girls endurance. We worked on such skills as passing, dribbling, learning lay-ups and defense and offense patterns. Hard practice paid off. The girls won two games and lost six close games. More importantly, they learned how to work together as a team and they had fun!

—Coach Roberts

The 1979 8th grade team was made up of 14 hard working girls. They were enthusiastic and willing to participate: two good characteristics. These girls practiced and practiced on the basic fundamentals of basketball. They learned offensive and defensive patterns. The girls should be commended for their improvement and fine attitudes.

—Coach Monte Moffett

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#1. Row one: A. Wilson, T. Hug, L. Tackett, L. Snapp, A. Helvey, J. Allen, J. James. Row two: C. Christie, B. Eltzroth, L. Wright, A. Murray, K. Ogan, A. Shelton. Row three: Miss Roberts, J. Grandstaff, T. Ferguson, T. Meyer, A. Squires, L. Hawkins.

#2. Row one: J. Baer, P. Rogers, D. Warford, M. Benson, K. Phillips, T. Tyner, M. Bone. Row two: G. Guttrich, J. Gifford, L. Smith, M. Ogan, T. Laferney, D. Driscoll, T. Domin, Mr. Moffett.

SEVENTH GRADE BASKETBALL

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
6	Mentone	23
20	Peru	16
8	Wabash	23
21	North Miami	8
14	Akron	15
8	Manchester	46
26	Southwood	28
16	Southwood	26

EIGHTH GRADE GIRLS' BASKETBALL

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
19	Mentone	30
14	Peru	26
15	Wabash	20
30	North Miami	21
22	Manchester	37
26	Southwood	25
18	Southwood	24
8	Bremen	28

Rummies Win Intramurals

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#1. Rummies: Row one: Pete Van Buskirk, Tony Holman, Robbie Keaffaber, Lalon Allen. Row two: Phil Bickhart, Sam Strange, Kent Dilling, Dennis Holmes, Jeff Draper.

#2. Mixed Mess: Row one: Scott Richardson, Ken Monce, Todd Hoppes. Row two: Ken Lindzy, David Harrell, Larry Carver, Randy Knotts.

#3. High Flying Five: Row one: Jeff Smith, Steve McBrayer. Row two: Larry Blair, Walt Shultz, Rick Ogan.

#4. Igor and The Chains: Row one: John Chowning, Steve Leisure, Stan Kirtlan. Row two: Roger Eltzroth, Dene Moore, David Honeycutt, Kevin Reed.

#5. Weekend Warriors: Row one: Rudy Case, Danny Harrell, Rick Reahard. Row two: Ronnie Dillon, Mark Judy, Mike Goodpaster.

#6. Woody's Woppers: Row one: Mike Schuler, Alan Weitzel, Paul Woodward. Row two: Rod Azbell, Dan Metzger, Brad Davis, Jeff Lawrence.

Golfers Have Record Season

NHS	VARSITY GOLF OPPONENT	THEM
181	Huntington Catholic	217
177	Eastbrook	188
189	Huntington North	155
189	Homestead	160
167-48	Mississinewa	167-51
198	Marion Bennett	192
186	Bluffton	182
181	Manchester	185
181	Whitko	196
187	Maconaqua	189
180	Caston	211
180	Triton	186
350	Wabash	356
183	Tippecanoe Valley	192
181	Southwood	183
181	North Miami	189
	County 2nd	
	Conference 2nd	
	Sectional 8th	
	JV GOLF	
256	Huntington Catholic	253
214	Eastbrook	217
244	Bluffton	209
209	Manchester	243
209	Whitko	249
231	Maconaqua	202
212	Wabash	203
	County Champions	

The 1979 Norse golf team compiled the most illustrious record of any golf team in Northfield history. They finished 12-4 with second place fiishes in both the County and Conference tournaments. School records were set for both nine and eighteen hole matches. They are now 162 for nine holes and 338 for 18. Individual highlights included: Jeff Draper's third place finish in the County, sixth place in the Conference, and his low score for the season in the Sectional; Tony Holman's third place finish with an 83 in the Conference; Nate Vrooman's fourth place in the County, ninth in the Conference, and low score of 86 in the Sectional; Gary Trump's 87 in the Sectional; and Dave McKenzie's 90 in the Conference. The Norse capped their season with a very respectable eighth place finish in the Sectional.

The young Norse JV also had a good season. Their record was 3-4. They capped off their season by winning the County tournament. The JV team included: Mike Sweet, Jim Holmes, Scott Titus, Paul Woodward, Bruce Trump, Stan Kirtland, Beth Squires, Jamie Krom, and Greg Metz.
—Coach Steve Desper

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1. Varsity golf team (first half): Tony Holman, Jeff Draper, and Nathan Vrooman.

2. The other half of the varsity golf team: David McKenzie, Gary Trump, and Coach Steve Desper.

3. Gary Trump shoots for a hole in one!

4. Senior, Jeff Draper, won the MVP and Mental Attitude Awards this year.

5. Senior, Tony Holman, impresses those in the background with his swing.

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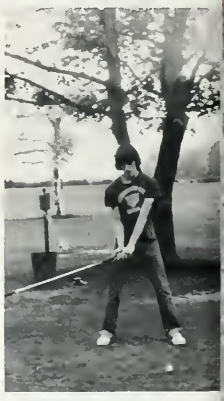

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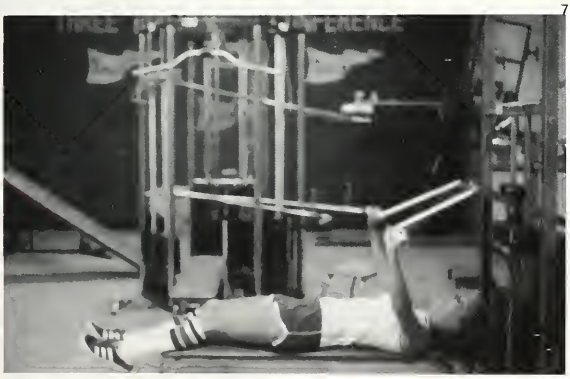

A vital part of any athletic program is the conditioning process that the athlete must go through. From the jump rope to the mini-leaper, boys and girls in all grades and every sport have access to the various types of training equipment found in the weight lifting room. These facilities are available to students all year round. Northfield's weight training program is well equipped and offers much to the athlete.

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#6. Jenny Draper works out on the mini-leaper to improve her jumping ability in basketball.

#7. Track runners find that daily exercise on this piece of equipment strenghthens leg muscles for distance runners and sprinters.

#8. Dan Vandermark chooses a set of bar-bells to build up his arm and shoulder muscles.

#9. Another way of strengthening arm and shoulder muscles is by bench pressing, as Paula Rogers demonstrates.

1. Pat Knoblock and Scott Kaufman race to the finish line in the mile run during the County track meet.

VARSITY TRACK

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
52	Wabash	75
55	Lewis Cass	72
61	Tippecanoe Valley	66
87	Whites	
49 ½	Manchester	60
49 ½	Whitko	39
49 ½	Whites	11 ½
75	Eastern	52
65	Southwood	70
65	North Miami	23
72	Triton	69
72	Caston	18
	County 3rd	
	Conference 5th	

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Thirteen Qualify for Sectional

The 1979 Norsemen Track team enjoyed a most successful season. The team composed a winning record of seven wins and five losses. Along with a winning season, the team qualified 13 individuals and both relay teams for Sectional competition, qualified two individuals for the Regional, broke three school records, three freshmen school records, and all team members improved their times and performances to a competitive level.

Senior, Ken Haupert, set a new school record in the discus at 142'4", and senior, Robbie Keaffaber, broke his own record in the 330 intermedia hurdles at 41.6. Sophomore, Scott Kaufman, set a new school record in the mile run at 4:30.1. Freshman, Tony Keffaber, set a new frosh record in the high jump at 5'11", and freshman, Pat Knoblock, established two frosh records in the mile run at 4:40.1 and in the two mile run at 10:26.1.

Robbie Keaffaber was the Most Valuable Player, Ken Haupert was awarded the Mental Attitude Award, and Scott Kaufman was awarded the Most Points Award. The Event Award went to the milers: Lalon Allen, Scott Kaufman, and Pat Knoblock. Stan Bowman was the Most Improved Runner.

Robbie Keaffaber and Scott Kaufman advanced to the Regionals in the pole vault and mile and two mile runs, respectively. Scott was the Sectional champion in the two mile.

—Coaches Dick Leming and Dennis Walker

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2. Senior, Dan Harrell, seems to be alone in the 880 yard run.

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#3. Varsity track members, row one: Barry Helvey, Ken Haupert, Jason France, Robbie Keaffaber, Dan Harrell, Bob Kockenour, Lalon Allen, Tom Polk, and Rick Sesco. Row two: Dirk Singer, Stan Bowman, Doug Warford, Jeff Williams, Dan Sparling, Scott House, Pat Knoblock, Steve McBrayer, and Ed Miller. Row three: Coach Walker, Tony Keffaber, Brad Davis, Kevin Reed, Brad Frieden, Gary Miller, Bob Flott, Kyle Kelly, Dave Singer, Tim Shafer, Scott Kaufman, and Coach Leming.

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#4. Robbie Keaffaber pulls past his opponent for fifth place in the 330 intermedia hurdles.

Future Stars

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#5. Junior High Boys' Track team: row one: Bryan Deeter, Russell Quillen, Harland Haupert, Chris Woodward, Steve Miller, Herman Staton, Chris Johnson, Brad Beals, Clay Hollenback, Brian Reed, Wayne Cox, Lonnie Snowberger, Albro Daniel. Row two: Brian Benson, Randy Carroll, Willie Mabee, Brian Cox, Kevin Warnock, Jim Bricker, Howard Halderman, Ed Gullet, Fred Lucas, Andy Drook, Todd Keffaber. Row three: Coach Monte Moffett, Jay Reed, Jim Yentes, Tim Hinrichsen, Duke Deeter, Todd Miller, Brett Donaldson, Fred Carroll, Mike Orpurt, Mike Rees, Tim Wuensch, and Coach Steve Brubaker.

EIGHTH GRADE TRACK

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
47	Southwood	46
47	Whites	35
25	Peru	84
66	Whites	42
70	North Miami	38
53	Manchester	56
52	Wabash	57
	County 4th	

SEVENTH GRADE TRACK

83	Southwood	20
83	Whites	19
41	Peru	59
92	Whites	15
87	North Miami	18
58	Manchester	48
60	Wabash	49
	County 3rd	

Girls' Team Small But Mighty

The girls' track team with only 14 members proved their desire and determination finishing second in the County and third in the Conference. Many of the girls ran three and four events to cover for the small number of team members.

Tina Rogers set a new school record in the mile run with a time of 5:42.6. Jill Benzinger also set a new record in the 220 yard dash with a time of 27.0. Tammy Deeter was selected the county's outstanding female athlete, winning the 100 meter, 400 meter and anchoring the 800 meter medley relay. Six girls qualified to go on to the Sectional at Rochester May 16th. Tammy Deeter competed in the 100 yard dash, 440 yard dash and anchored the medley relay team. The other members of the medley relay team were Linda Kitchen, Lisa Beals, and Betsy Deeter. Tina Rogers and Lisa Allen competed in the mile run. Kim Oates qualified for the Sectional but her season best in the shot put of 32' ½" came two hours after the Sectional entry deadline. Jill Benzinger's new time for the 220 was also too late to enter her in Sectional competition.

Overall the girls finished with an 11-6 record. The girls deserve a lot of praise for their fine season. Thanks for all your hard work and for making this season so great.

—Coach Theresa Honeycutt

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1. Varsity girls' track team, row one: Betsy Deeter, Tammy Deeter, Lisa Beals, Tina Rogers, Julie Renbarger, and Linda Beals. Row two: Diana Norwood (manager), Rhonda Reed, Lisa Allen, Linda Kitchen, Kim Oates, Susan Rice, Jenny Draper, Jill Benzinger, and Coach Honeycutt.

VARSITY GIRLS' TRACK

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
16	Huntington North	94
69 ⅔	Southwood	60 ⅓
69 ⅔	Whites	3
42	Tippecanoe Valley	63
81	North Miami	24
63	Wabash	42
50	Manchester	55
	County 2nd	
	Conference 3rd	

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2. Lisa Allen and Tina Rogers get ready for their mile hike around the track. Tina and Lisa finished first and second, respectively, in the County.

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3. Coach Honeycutt and Betsy Deeter help Linda Kitchen pin her number on for the County track meet.

4. Tammy Deeter crosses the finish line in first place in the 400 meter dash. Tammy also won the 100 meter dash and anchored the medley relay in the County.

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Jr. High Sets Records

SEVENTH GRADE GIRLS

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
39	Southwood	55
36	Peru	68
19	Manchester	79
38	Wabash	55
	County 4th	

EIGHTH GRADE GIRLS

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
55	Southwood	44
49	Peru	51
64	North Miami	36
51	Manchester	49
63	Wabash	36
	County Champions	

Even though the seventh grade girls had a 0-4 record, their determination was such that as eighth graders next year these girls will be hard to beat. Angie Helvey set two school records in the 80 yard hurdles and the 440 yard dash.

The eighth grade girls had a 4-1 record and set nine school records. Lisa Smith set records in the high jump and 80 yard hurdles; Trisha Tyner in the long jump and 100 yard; Kelly Ervin in the shot put; Paula Rogers in the mile run and 880 yard run; and Jody Gifford in the 440 yard dash. The 880 medley relay team consisting of Denise Warford, Tyner, Smith, and Gifford also set a school record. Great job, girls!

—Coaches Monte Moffett and Steve Brubaker

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5. Junior High Girls' track team, kneeling: Lisa Smith, Jody Gifford, Teresa Bowman, Diane Gray, Angie Helvey, Trisha Tyner, Paula Rogers, Denise Warford. Standing: Becky Eltzroth, Karin Ogan, Amy Squires, Rachel Grossman, Kelly Ervin, Faye Engelman, Susan Bull, Gina Guttrich, Coach Moffett, and Coach Brubaker.

Norse Baseball Squad 11-13

VARSITY BASEBALL

NHS	OPPONENT	THEM
5	Caston	0
0	Rochester	4
3	Oak Hill	4
5	Peru	4
14	Wawasee	9
0	Maconaqua	7
6	Bennett	11
1	Wabash	10
2	Tippecanoe Valley	10
2	Manchester	7
5	Triton	1
7	North Miami	13
11	Huntington Catholic	8
5	Whitko	4
7	Mississinewa	12
11	Huntington Catholic	4
0	Huntington North	3
7	Tippecanoe Valley	0
2	Manchester	5
8	Southwood	7
9	Triton	2
3	Whitko	10
5	Southwood	3
	North Miami	

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#1. Senior, Jay Biehl, warms up before going up to bat. Jay played second base for the Norse this year.

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#2. Senior, Brian Reed, awaits his turn at bat. Brian played right field for the Norse.

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#3. Members of the Norse baseball team, left to right: Coach Winegardner, Roger Engelman, Gregg Reed, Randy Sexton, Todd Kline, Scott Harris, Larry Case, Jeff Smith, Ken Dawes, Scott Hipsher, Chris Arrick, Larry Blair, John Johnson, Brian Reed, Dave Olmstead, Scott Richardson, Jay Biehl, Varnell Clay, Randy Shafer, Randy Kline, Derrick Shelton, Sam White, and Coach Miller.

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#4. Junior, Chris Arrick, is caught in a solemn moment after a game. Chris was first baseman this year.

The 1979 Varsity Baseball team finished the season with an 11-13 record. The season was disappointing although it had its bright spots. A victory over Peru, the second in Northfield's history, a shutout and errorless game against Tippecanoe Valley, and a victory over Whitko, the conference champion, highlighted the season. Individual awards given at the spring awards banquet on June 19th were: Captain, Jay Biehl; Silver Nail, Jeff Smith; Big Stick, Chris Arrick; Golden Glove, Jay Biehl; Fireball, Randy Sexton; and Charlie Hustle, Scott Harris. The batgirls for the Norse were: Lisa Kitchen, Tami Yentes, Sarah Francis, Lisa Force, Teresa Frehse, Cathy Deeter, and Sally Francis. Losing only two seniors the Norsemen should have many victories next year and a banner season.

—Coaches Craig Winegardner and Charles Miller

EXIT

ALBUM

Look at yourself in the mirror. What do you see? . . . Someone who talks to himself? . . . Or someone who sticks bubble gum behind his ear? . . . Or just some crazy kid that makes people laugh? Whatever you see, it's you and you make up the greatest part of Big Blue Country. It's okay that you eat cold mashed potatoes for breakfast . . . or wear two different colored socks at the same time . . . or collect combination pizzas. Northfield High School is filled with all kinds of people with different characteristics. Take a look at the following pages and see for yourself!

Come to the Office

Dealing with students, making decisions, typing letters, scheduling activities, making announcements and answering telephones are only a few of the things that go on in the office. The people in the office work quietly and efficiently accomplishing several things in one day. Without this administration, our school wouldn't run smoothly or be the success it is. A special thanks to these people for their hard work and dedication.

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#1. Mr. Miller, principal, looks up from his work.

#2. Mr. Neale, vice-principal, is caught doing paperwork at his desk.

#3. Mr. Kaltenmark, athletic director, smiles warmly as a visitor enters.

#4. Office Staff: Mrs. Harris, secretary; Mrs. Yentes, treasurer; Mrs. Miller, attendance secretary; and Marsha Lane, secretary, all gather around for the photographer.

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North Central Evaluates NHS

Every seven years Northfield is evaluated by the North Central Evaluation Committee. They submit a written report to the North Central Office after giving a brief oral report to the school. Classroom programs, facilities, equipment, and other aids were reviewed by the committee. Suggestions for improvement were offered during the three days they were at NHS. Mr. Bill Neale was in charge of N.C.E.

The men behind the scenes each school year are known as the school board members, or the Board of Education. These men combined their efforts and energies to keep NHS in session during the long, hard winter last year when "Snow days" seemed to be so popular.

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#1. Administrative Assistant, David McKee; Superintendent, Dr. Edward Kasamis; and Business Manager, Lawrence Wade.

#2. School board members, sitting: Darle Dawes, Fred Squires, Dave Compton. Standing: Charles Tiede, Kraig Ahfield, Marvin Ridgeway, and Dr. Edward Kasamis.

#3. The North Central Committee met with the NHS faculty at a tea given by the Home Economics girls after school.

#4. Room 102 was the "work room" for the evaluating committee during their three-day stay. Refreshments were provided for them.

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1979 GRADUATING CLASS

The 1979 graduating class had an exceptionally super year. Many privileges and honors were bestowed upon the seniors for the first time here at Northfield. The seniors were allowed an official senior "skip-out" day on May 4th for which most of the class members went to a breakfast at Jim Dandy's then spent the rest of the day at the reservoir or a friend's home. For being the only class to have perfect attendance twice, the seniors were allowed to leave at noon the last day before Christmas vacation. And just for being seniors, they were allowed to sit on the floor during convos in the auditorium and could leave early during activity periods at the end of the day.

The class of '79 also went to work raising class pride and school spirit by wearing their "Senior Spirit" buttons all year and their T-shirts with the class members' names on them. They also had "Class of '79" key chains.

The 17th graduating class of Northfield is now gone, but their good times, memories, and experiences will always live on at NHS.

Class officers were: Lisa Beals, president; Jeff Draper, vice president; Rhonda Mowery, secretary; and Sheila Wilson, treasurer.

LALON E. ALLEN Varsity Track 1-2-3-4; FFA 1-2-3-4; N-Club 1-2-3-4; Basketball 1-2; Cross-Country 2-3-4; Student Council 1; Class Vice President 2-3; Intramurals 3-4.

CRAIG A. ALLMAN Student Council 1-2-3-4; Football 1; Math & Science 1-2-3; FFA 1-2-3-4; History 1-2-3; Foreign Language 1; Stage Band 2; Intramurals 1-2-3; Homecoming Candidate 3.

RITA L. ARRICK Cheerleader 1; Cheerblock 1-2; Track 1-2; Choir 1-2-3-4; Norsettes 2; North Star 3; Shield Staff 4; Vocational 4.

TERESA M. BAER Class Treasurer 1; Cheerblock 1; Cheerleader 2-3-4; DEA 4; Vocational 4.

MICHAEL A. BAKER FFA 1-2-3; VICA 3-4; Vocational 3-4.

VALERIA BASSI Foreign Exchange Student 4.

LISA M. BEALS Norsettes 1-2-3-4; Track 1-2-3-4; Shield Staff 1-2-3-4; Choir 1; Drama 2-4; Foreign Language 2-3; FHA 2-3; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; Class Secretary 2; National Honor Society 3-4; Girls' State 3; Student Council 3-4; History 4; Class President 4; Cheerblock 4; Jr. Miss 4; FFA Sweetheart 4; Homecoming Candidate 3; Homecoming Queen 4; N-Club 4.

PHILLIP S. BICKHART Intramurals 2-3-4; Math & Science 2-3; Foreign Language 2; History 3.

JAY D. BIEHL Basketball 1-2-3-4; FFA 1-2-3-4; Baseball 1-2-3-4; Drama 2-3-4; National Honor Society 3-4; N-Club 3-4; Thespian Society 3-4.

We've Only Just Begun

TERRI L. BLANKE Choir 1; Norsettes 2-3-4; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; Drama 2-3-4; Foreign Language 2; FHA 2-3-4; Cheerblock 3-4; History 3-4; Shield Staff 3-4; North Star 4; Thespian Society 3-4.

DEBRA K. BLANTON Foreign Language 1-2; Art 1-2-3; FHA 1; Tri-Sigma 2-3.

CAROLE L. BOHNHOFF Shield 1-2; Norsettes 1-2; Cheerblock 1; Choir 1-2-3-4; Drama 2-3-4; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; Foreign Language 3-4; National Honor Society 4.

TRACY J. BOWER Basketball 1; Cheerblock 1-2; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; FHA 3-4; DEA 4; Vocational 4.

CARLA J. BOYER Cheerleader 1-2-3; Cheerblock 1-4; Volleyball 4; Basketball 4; DEA 4; Vocational 4.

KELLY S. BURNSWORTH Tri-Sigma 3-4; Art Club 3; Choir 3; Vocational 4.

CHRISTINE L. CARPENTER Cheerblock 1-2-3-4; Band 1-2-3-4; Tri-Sigma 2-3; Art Club 1; Stage Band 2-3-4; Foreign Language 2-3.

GREG R. CHALFANT Football 1; Basketball 1.

KIM RENA CHAMBERLAIN Cheerblock 1-2-3-4; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; DEA 4; Norsettes 2-3-4; Jr. Miss 4; Vocational 4.

RUTH M. CHOWNING Drama 1-2-3-4; Cheerblock 1-2-3-4; Shield Staff 1-2-3-4; Math & Science 2-3-4; Foreign Language 3; Speech Team 3-4; History 4; National Honor Society 4; Thespian Society 3-4.

BLANDY M. CLARKSON VICA 3; Vocational 4.

KENNETH L. CLUPPER Math & Science 2-3; Foreign Language 2-3; History 3-4.

BRENDA L. COLLINS Foreign Language 2-3; Tri-Sigma 2-4; Drama 2-3-4; Choir 2-3-4; Speech Team 3; History 3-4; Thespian Society 3-4; National Honor Society 4; DEA 4; Vocational 4; Jr. Miss 4.

MARK A. COOPER VICA 3; Vocational 3-4.

CHERYL CORNETT DEA 4; Vocational 4; Guidance Helper 4; FHA 4.

"Tomorrow will belong to those . . .

RENEE K. CRUMRINE Cheerblock 1-2-3-4; FHA 1-2; Speech Team 1-2-3; Tri-Sigma 2-3; Art Club 1; VICA 3-4; vocational 3-4.

BRENDA S. DANIEL Foreign Language 1-2-3-4; Cheerblock 1-4; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; History 2-3-4; National Honor Society 3-4; Honors Choir 3-4; HOSA 4; Vocational 4; Jr. Miss 4.

MARCIA K. DAUGHERTY Band 1-2-3-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; Cheerblock 1-2-4; Track 1-2-3; Tri-Sigma 2-3; FFA 2-3-4; Norsettes 2-3-4; History 3-4; N-Club 3-4; Volleyball Manager 4; Jr. Miss 4.

JOHN R. DAVENPORT Vocational 3-4.

TODD R. DAWES Class Secretary 1; FFA 1-2-3-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; Student Council 2-3-4; Math & Science 3-4; History 3; North Star 4.

DEBORAH A. DEETER FFA Sweetheart 2; FHA 2-3-4; Drama 2-3-4; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; Cheerblock 3-4; History 3-4; Shield Staff 3-4; Class Secretary 3; National Honor Society 3-4; Thespian Society 3-4; North Star 4; Jr. Miss 4.

JEFFREY P. DRAPER Basketball 1-2-3; Golf 1-2-3-4; Cross-Country 3-4; N-Club 3-4; National Honor Society 3-4; Shield Staff 4; Intramurals 4; Class Vice President 4.

PHIL D. DRAPER Golf 1-2-3-4; FFA 1-2.

LESLIE J. DRISCOLL Track 1-2-3; Basketball 1-2-3; Basketball Manager 4; Volleyball 2; Cheerblock 1-2-3-4; Honors Band 2-3; Tri-Sigma 3; Varsity Volleyball 4; N-Club 3-4; OEA 4; Vocational 4.

TUESDAY L. DYSON Tri-Sigma 2-3; Foreign Language 2-3; OEA 4; Vocational 4.

DONALD E. EADS FFA 1-2-3-4; Vocational 3-4.

LORI M. ELLIOTT Art Club 1-2-3-4; History 3; Jr. Miss 4; OEA 4; Vocational 4.

GAYE L. FAUST Cheerblock 1-2-3; Track 1; Tri-Sigma 3; OEA 4; Vocational 4.

FRED FORD Vocational 3-4.

JASON C. FRANCE Football 1-2-3-4; Wrestling 1-2-3-4; Track 1-2-3-4; Art Club 2-3-4.

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SARAH J. FRANCIS Band 3-4; Drama 3-4; National Honor Society 4; Speech Team 3-4; Tri-Sigma 3-4; Art Club 3-4; Foreign Language 3; Baseball Batgirl 3-4; Cheerblock 4; History Club 4; Honors Band 3-4; Jr. Miss 4.

LARRY D. GASTON Drama 1-2-3-4; Choir 1-2-3-4; Math & Science 2; History 4.

KATHY K. GAUTSCHI Stage Band 1-2-3-4; Band 1-2-3-4; FHA 1-2; FFA 2.

AMY J. GILL Art Club 1-2-3-4; History 3; DEA 4; Vocational 4.

RODERICK S. GREY Football 1-2-3; Basketball 1; History 1-2-3-4; Math & Science 1-2-3-4; Foreign Language 1-2; Wrestling 2; N-Club 2-3-4; Intramurals 2-3-4.

ELLIS RANDALL GRIFFEY FFA 1-2-3-4.

DANNY J. HARRELL Football 1; Wrestling 1; Track 2-3-4.

BRAD A. HARRIS Football 1-3; Wrestling 1-2-3; FFA 1-2-3-4; VICA 3-4; Vocational 3-4.

BRIAN K. HAUPERT Football 1-2-3-4; Wrestling 1-2-3-4; Stage Band 1-2-3-4; Track 1-2-3-4; History 3.

BARRY J. HELVEY FFA 1-2-3-4; Art 1; Basketball 1; Cross-Country 1-2; Wrestling 3; Track 4.

TAMMY S. HELVEY FHA 2; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; Cheerblock 1-2-3; Norsettes 1-2-3-4; Drama 1-2; Choir 1.

KAREN K. HENTGEN Tri-Sigma 1-2-3; Cheerblock 1-2; Drama 1-2-3; FHA 2-3-4; Choir 1-2-3-4; Norsettes 2-3-4.

SHERRI L. HERKON Cheerleader 1; Cheerblock 2-3.

TERRY L. HEWITT FFA 1-2; VICA 3-4; Vocational 3-4.

VICKI SUE HITE Choir 1-2-3-4.

Class Flower: Red Rose

DARLENE K. HIVELY Art 1-2-3-4; History 3; DEA 4; Vocational 4; Jr. Miss 4.

ANTHONY P. HOLMAN Golf 1-2-3-4; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; History 3; Math & Science 3.

DENNIS J. HOLMES Football 1-2-3; Track 1; Drama 1-2; Speech Team 2-3; FFA 2-4; VICA 3; North Star 4.

TAMMY J. HOSIER

CHRISTINA D. KASAMIS Cheerblock 1-2-3-4; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; Basketball 2-3-4; Volleyball 2-3-4; Track 2-3; Student Council 3-4; National Honor Society 3-4; N-Club 3-4; F.C.A. 2-3-4; Girls' State 3; North Star 2; Foreign Language 1-2; Math & Science 4.

ROBBIE L. KEAFFABER Football 1-2-3-4; Wrestling 1-2-3; Track 1-2-3-4; N-Club 1-2-3-4; Drama 1-2-3-4; Math & Science 1-2-3-4; Intramurals 2-3-4; Speech Team 2-3-4; F.C.A. 2-3; History 3; Thespian Society 3-4.

JESSE E. KELLEMS Math & Science 1-2-3-4; Choir 1; History 3-4; National Honor Society 4.

DEBRA A. KELLY FHA 1; Band 1-2-3-4; FFA 2; Track 2-3-4.

LISA H. KITCHEN Cheerblock 1-2-3-4; Track 1; Band 1; Drama 2-3-4; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; FHA 2-3-4; Foreign Language 2-3; Art Club 2-3-4; History 3-4; Jr. Miss 4; National Honor Society 4; Shield Staff 4; North Star 4.

In memory of

Brook A. George

June 9, 1961

May 20, 1979

In memory of

Brent Andrew Haupert

April 26, 1961

June 23, 1977

Class Colors: Pastels

ROBERT A. KOCHENOUR Football 1-2-3-4; Track 1-2-3-4; N-Club 1-2-3-4; Foreign Language 1-2.

ROSALEE KRAMER Cheerleader 1-2-3; Cheerblock 4; Tri-Sigma 2-3; Choir 1; Drama 2; Art Club 3; Class Treasurer 3; Norsettes 4; OEA 4; Vocational 4; Shield Staff 4.

TERRY L. KROM FFA 1-2-3-4

TAMARA S. LAWRENCE Foreign Language 1-2-3-4; Drama 1-2-4; Shield 1-2-4; Track 1; Norsettes 1-2-3-4; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; History 3-4; National Honor Society 3-4; Cheerblock 4; Jr. Miss 4

MIKE LUNDQUIST

DAVID M. McKENZIE FFA 1; Math & Science 1-2-3-4; Choir 1-2-3-4; Golf 1-2-3-4; History 2-3-4; Drama 2-3-4; Speech Team 2-3-4; Foreign Language 3-4; Thespian Society 3-4; North Star 4.

TIM E. McVOY FFA 1-2-3-4; History 3; VICA 4; Vocational 4.

GREG W. MILLER Football 1; FFA 1-2-3-4.

KENNETH L. MONCE FFA 1; Art 1-2; VICA 3-4; Vocational 3-4.

RICK D. MONCE FFA 1-2; VICA 3-4; Vocational 3-4; Art Club 4.

RHONDA K. MOWERY Cheerblock 1-2-4; Drama 1-2-3-4; Band 1-2-3-4; FHA 1-2-3; Tri-Sigma 2-3; Norsettes 2-3-4; Foreign Language 3; History 4; Class Secretary 4; Jr. Miss 4; Shield Staff 4; North Star 4.

CINDY A. PALMER Cheerblock 1-2; Tri-Sigma 1-2-3; Drama 1-2-3; OEA 4; Vocational 3-4; VICA 3.

HELEN M. PARKER

THOMAS W. POLK Football 1-2-3-4; Wrestling 1-2-3-4; Track 1-2-3-4; Shield 1-2-3-4; Math & Science 1-2-3-4; Band 1-2-3-4; Stage Band 3-4; F.C.A. 1-2-3-4.

MARY BRIDGET PROCTOR Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; Drama 2-3-4; Norsettes 3-4; HOSA 4; Vocational 4; History 4.

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BRIAN D. REED Football 1-2-3-4; Baseball 2-3-4; Basketball 1; FFA 1-2-3-4; N-Club 3-4; DECA 4; Vocational 4

LINDA S. REED National Honor Society 4; Drama 4; Speech Team 4; Band 4; Track 4; F.C.A. 4; Jr. Miss 4.

MICHELE M. RIDENOUR Tri-Sigma 2-3; Cheerblock 1-2-3.

ANNE D. RISHER Band 1-2-3-4; Foreign Language 1-2-3-4; F.C.A. 1; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; Drama 2-3-4; Cheerblock 2-4; National Honor Society 3-4; History 3-4; DEA 4; Vocational 4; FHA 1.

TINA L. ROGERS Basketball 1-2-3-4; Track 1-2-3-4; Volleyball 2-3-4; Choir 1-2; N-Club 2-3-4; Tri-Sigma 2-3; Cheerblock 2-3-4

ANDY J. ROSS Wrestling 1-2.

DAVID A. SAMONS Art 1-2.

DAVE R. SAUSAMAN Football 1-3-4; FFA 1-2-3-4; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; Class Treasurer 2.

TRENT SCHULER

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= 1. Brook George and Terry Hewitt share their Econ extra credit during a study hall

= 2. Everyone's favorite . . . Mr. Price! What's he up to now? Probably trying to escape one of his biggest headaches!

= 3. During "decorate the door for sectional", the senior door (Mr. Price's room) won second place.

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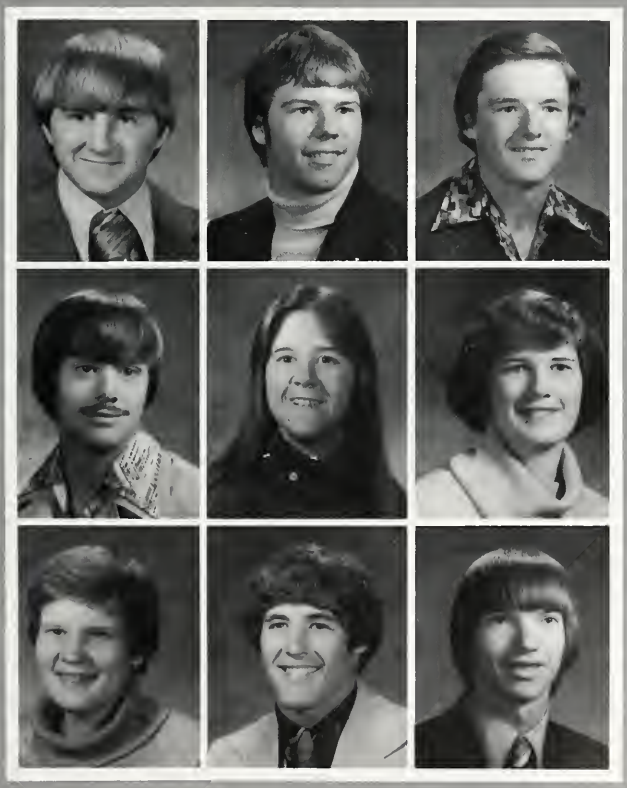
Dan Harrell, Marty Watts, and Brad Harris check the information on the bulletin board as to what's going on that week.

Study hall couldn't be THAT boring, could it? Debra Kelly is either meditating or she's fallen asleep!



RICKEY L. SESCO Football 1-2-3-4; Wrestling 1-2-3-4; Track 2-3-4•F.C.A. 2-3-4; N-Club 3-4; History 3-4; Drama 3-4; Thespian Society 3-4; Math & Science 3-4.

RANDALL D. SHAFER Football 1-2-3-4; Baseball 1-2-3-4.

STEVEN E. SHAFER Basketball 1-2-3-4; Cross-Country 2-3-4; Track 3; N-Club 3-4.

TIM T. SHOEMAKER FFA 1-2-3-4; Golf 1; VICA 3; DECA 4.

DEANNE SLATER Cheerblock 3; Tri-Sigma 3; DEA 4; Vocational 4.

CAMILLA J. SLEE Band 1-2-3-4; Foreign Language 1-2-3-4; F.C.A. 1; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; Drama 3-4; Cheerblock 4; Choir 4.

CAROL J. SLEE Outstanding Pre Vocational Student 3.

DARRELD D. STANLEY FFA 1-2-3-4; Football 1-3-4; Golf 1-2-3; Intramurals 1-2-3; Math & Science 2-3; Wrestling 2-3-4; History 3-4; N-Club 3-4.

JEROME D. STEVENS Foreign Language 2; Intramurals 2-3-4; Math & Science 3-4; History 3.

Good Luck Good Luck Good Luck Good

LESLIE STOUFFER Choir 1-2-3-4; Norsettes 2-3; Tri-Sigma 2-3

ROGER STOUFFER Intramurals 1-2

SAMMY L. STRANGE FFA 1-2-3-4; Spanish 2; Intramurals 2-3-4; Math & Science 3-4; History 3

DOUGLAS R. SWEET Football 1; Student Council 1-2-3-4; Golf 1-2; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; F.C.A. 1-2; Math & Science 1-2-3-4; Foreign Language 1-2-3; History 3-4; Class President 3

RICK L. TYSON

PETE VAN BUSKIRK Football 1-2-3-4; Wrestling 1-2-3; FFA 1-2-3-4; N-Club 2-3-4; History 3; Math & Science 3; Intramurals 3.

NATHAN A. VROOMAN Basketball 1-2-3-4; Football 1-2-3-4; Golf 1-2-3-4; History 3; N-Club 3-4; National Honor Society 3-4

JEFFREY T. WARNOCK Basketball 1-2; Football 1; FFA 1-2-3-4; Baseball 2-3; Intramurals 3-4.

MARTY E. WATTS FFA 2-3; Golf 3-4; Intramurals 3-4.

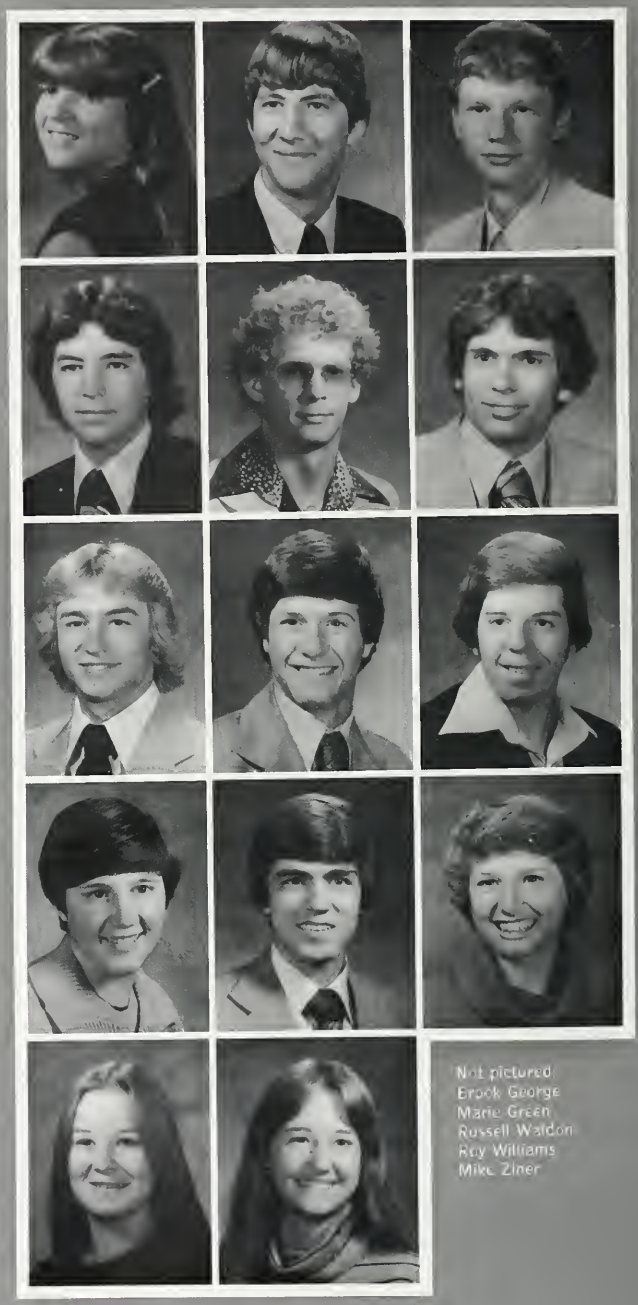
SHERRI L. WEESNER Cheerblock 1-2-3-4; Shield 1; GAA 1; Choir 1-2-3-4; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; History 4; DEA 4.

DUANE J. WILCOX Class President 1-2; Student Body Vice President 3; Student Body President 4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; FFA 1-2-3-4; Math & Science 1-2-3-4; Shield 1-2; National Honor Society 3-4; N-Club 3-4.

SHEILA M. WILSON FHA 1-2-3-4; Foreign Language 1-2; Drama 1-2-3-4; Choir 1-2; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; National Honor Society 3-4; Shield Staff 3-4; Thespian 3-4; North Star 4; Jr. Miss 4; Speech Team 2-3-4; History 3-4; Class Treasurer 4; Swing Choir 4.

LORI A. WRIGHT Cheerblock 1-2-3-4; FHA 2-3-4; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; Drama 2-3-4; Foreign Language 2; North Star 4; Thespian Society 3-4; Shield 4

TAMARA S. YENTES FHA 1-2-3-4; F.C.A. 1; Tri-Sigma 2-3-4; Foreign Language 2-3-4; Shield Staff 2; Cheerblock 3-4; National Honor Society 3-4; DAR Good Citizen 4.



Not pictured:
Brook George
Marie Green
Russell Waldon
Roy Williams
Mike Ziner

"Senioritis"

Juniors Have Fun Year

Cynthia Alexander
Cynthia Alford
Chris Arrick
Dawn Baber
Brian Baker
Lori Beals
Julie Bell

Rex Biehl
Larry Blair
Dennis Bone
Barbara Borelli
Michael Bowers
Stanley Bowman
Andrea Breedlove

David Brock
Marlin Buchtel
Michael Carroll

Larry Carver
Lori Chamberlain
Craig Chittick

Janet Christie
Tami Conrad
Gene Dangerfield

Dana Dawes
Tamara Deeter
Mike Devore

Junior class officers were: Kent Dilling, president; Cambi Rensberger, vice president; Gary Trump, secretary; and Lori Beals, treasurer.

Kent Dilling
Fayetta Dillon
Dawn Dyson
Janet Dyson
Jeff Dyson
Dawn Edwards
Brenda Elrod

The junior class was involved in a very active year. Lori Beals and Jeff Mowery were chosen as Homecoming court members. They also combined their efforts to sell $6000 worth of magazines and records. As the year progressed they began plans for the Junior-Senior Prom. "Too Much Heaven" was the theme. The colors of the sunset were chosen as the class colors and the yellow rose and peach daisy were the favorite for the class flowers.

Cheering their way through the year were Diane Swart, Patty Plant, Nora Yentes, and Ann Breedlove who showed their spirit as junior cheerleaders.

Tammy Deeter, Diane Swart, Patty Plant and Dana Dawes were active as student council representatives.

Believing in their motto, "What the future holds for us depends on what we hold for the future," the class of '80 had a year full of learning and fun.

Bruce Eltzroth
Roger Engelman
Elizabeth Enser
John Fearnow
Lisa Force
Rhonda Ford
Kathy Frieden

Diane Gautschi
Sheryl George
James Goff
Angie Good
Linda Green
Sueann Gressley
Lori Hantelman

David Harrell
Christie Hewitt
Lori Hipsher

Mike Hoover
Todd Hoppes
Tony Hunt

Roger Ireland
David Joy
Mark Judy

Tammy Deeter, Cambi Rensberger, Julie Stein, and Mariann Meyer were the top magazine sellers in the junior magazine sales last fall. The magazine sales help finance the prom in the spring. This year records and tapes were sold along with the magazines to help boost the sales.

Vicky Kellems
Randall Kline
Randall Knotts

Nancy Lane
James Lease
Ken Lindzy
Michelle Lucas
Brian Lyons
Tracy Martin
Lisa Martindale

Stephen McBrayer
Mariann Meyer
Julie Minniear
Jeff Mowery
Melinda Neal
Beth Newcomer
Troy O'Dell

Rick Ogan
Rita Patton
Marvin Phillips
Patricia Plant
Wesena Powell
Vanessa Prater
Tim Quinn

Ramona Reed
Cambi Rensberger
George Rice
Susan Rice
Melvin Richardson
Scott Richardson
Carl Rife

Susan Ruley
Susan Schenkel
David Schuler
Walter Schultz
David Singer
Derhonda Smedley
Jeff Smith

Danny Sparling
Tammy Staggs
Julia Stein
Diane Swart
Shirley Swihart
Kathryn Tiede
Gary Trump

Dawn Wagner
Deaitra Ward
Doug Warford
Jeff Williams
Tari Wilson
Nora Yentes
Tracy Yocum

Not pictured:
Randy Boring
Larry Case
Mike Clark
Michelle Losher
Jody Lundquist

Ann Breedlove, Diane Swart, Patty Plant, Tami Conrad, and Susan Schenkel like to share their food!

Sophomores Involved In Many Activities

Michele Alexander
Lisa Allen
Brian Allman
Belinda Applegate
David Ault
Rodney Azbell
Jay Bauer

Linda Beals
Teresa Bessette
Jean Ann Bidwell
Betty Bolin
Kelly Bricker
Deborah Brock
Babett Butzin

Ron Cameron
Darla Carr
Marla Carr

Cindy Carver
John Chowning
Amy Clark

Keith Clark
Varnell Clay
Theresa Clifton

David Cohen
Teresa Collins
Jeff Cooper

Class officers were: Brian Allman, president; Cathy Deeter, vice president; Lisa Allen, secretary; and Nancy Yentes, treasurer.

Jamey Crist
Kim Daniels
Bradley Davis
Ken Dawes
Cathy Deeter
Elizabeth Deeter
Jackie Dock

The sophomore class held its first class meeting and elected Brian Allman as president; Cathy Deeter as vice president; Lisa Allen as secretary; and Nancy Yentes as treasurer. With the changes made in Homecoming, the class of '81 chose Marcia Winters and Scott Kaufman as their court members. The sophomore class had many students represent it in a variety of activities such as: cheerleading, basketball, football, volleyball, and the plays.

Representing the class in cheerleading were Danette Norman, Juliann Tiede, Kelly Bricker, and Missy Grey. Their student council members were Betsy Deeter, Ken Dawes, and Bobbi Higgley. The class party was May 16th.

Jenny Draper
Cindy Dunfee
Rick Dyer
Karen Eilts
Lisa Elliott
Roger Eltzroth
Robert Flott

Melissa Forrester
Kathleen Foster
Scott Freese
Teresa Frehse
Brad Frieden
Delana Gamsby
Danny Green

Michele Grey
David Griffey
Rickey Griffey

Lynn Guttrich
Tammara Hampton
Joseph Harris

Larry Harris
Teresa Hashbarger
Bobbi Higgley

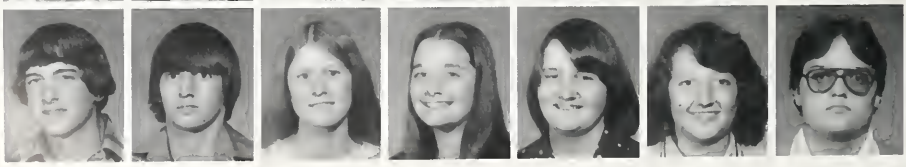
Scott Hipsher
James Holmes
David Honeycutt

Amy Clark gives her bud grafting demonstration for a speech in sophomore speech class.

Dixie Hoover
Bobby Houlihan
James Howard
Sheryl Hunt
Johnny Johnson
Rebekah Joy
Lance Judy

Scott Kaufman
Kyle Kelly
Stanley Kirtlan
Linda Kitchen
Todd Kline
Rita Kramer
Todd Krom

Jeff Lawrence
Steven Leisure
Tara Lindzy
Cynthia Long
Lori Long
Delores McKee
Keith McKee



Amy McKillip
Christoph McLean
Trisha Metz
Danny Metzger
Debbie Miller
Gary Miller
Michelle Miller

William Miller
Dene Moore
Newt Music
David Nelson
Donna Newcomer
Brian Norman
Danette Norman

Helen Norwood
Kimberly Oates
Cheryl Palmer
Julie Patton
Ricky Reahard
Gregg Reed
Kevin Reed

Julie Rees
Timothy Reiken
Julie Renbarger
Floyd Resler
Edward Ringel
Jane Ruley
Lauri Samons

Mike Schuler
Joe Schultz
Lisa Sesco
Randall Sexton
Timothy Shafer
Tracy Shambuagh
Mary Shaw

The lunchroom provides a great place to gather for a party or just to talk, as these girls find out.

Delinda Shepherd
Eric Sinclair
Renata Slisher
Connie Smith
Scott Smith
Sharon Smith
Steffany Smith

Carrie Snyder
Jeff Southworth
Pama Staton
Nicole Stefanatos
Lori Sweet
Tom Thompson
Julianne Tiede

Rick Treska
Daniel Vandermark
Scott Vanmeter

Debra Watkins
Michelle Watson
Larry Weitzel

Mike Williams
Toni Wilson
Christoph Winterrowd

Wonder where these pumpkins came from? They must be a result of another traditional Halloween!

Marcia Winters
Paul Woodward
Clinton Wrisk
Lance Wrisk
Tony Wuensch
Nancy Yentes
David Yocum

Marilyn Young

Freshmen Enjoy High School

Babette Badgley
Jane Barnett
Jill Benzinger
Beverly Bidwell
Janet Bidwell
Mark Bolinger
Jim Borelli

Freshman class officers included: Doug Wilcox, president; Susan Pefley, vice president; and Chris Reed, secretary-treasurer.

Brian Boyer
Lisa Brodbeck
Jim Brows

Danny Buchanan
Todd Burgess
Mike Busch

Kelley Butzin
Phillip Callaway
Larry Chain

Brian Chamberlain
Lana Clark
Jimmy Clay

Leonard Click
Scott Cooper
Renee Copeland
Scott Davis
Dawn Deliamarggio
Pam Dilling
Ronnie Dillon

Douglas Draper
Lisa Draper
Vern Dunphy
Troy Dyson
Kathy Eviston
Dana Farmer
Kim Fearnow

The freshman class of 1978-79 got off to a really good start for their first year as NHS high school students. They chose Chris Reed and Dave Olmstead to represent the frosh in the Homecoming court of '78.

At their class meeting they elected Doug Wilcox as president, Susan Pefley as vice president, and Chris Reed as secretary-treasurer. The class decided on a semi-formal class party to be held on May 4. Their student council representatives were Dave Olmstead, Tony Keffaber, and Troy Dyson.

All-in-all, the freshmen enjoyed their year as high school students and are looking forward to their next three years.

Sally Francis
Bryan Frank
Jeff Gackenheimer
Lavona Gamsby
Sandy Goff
Lonnie Good
Mike Goodpaster

Ed Gottschalk
Danita Hall
Jill Hammel
Jeff Hampton
Sylvia Hardin
Scott Haupert
Beth Hicks

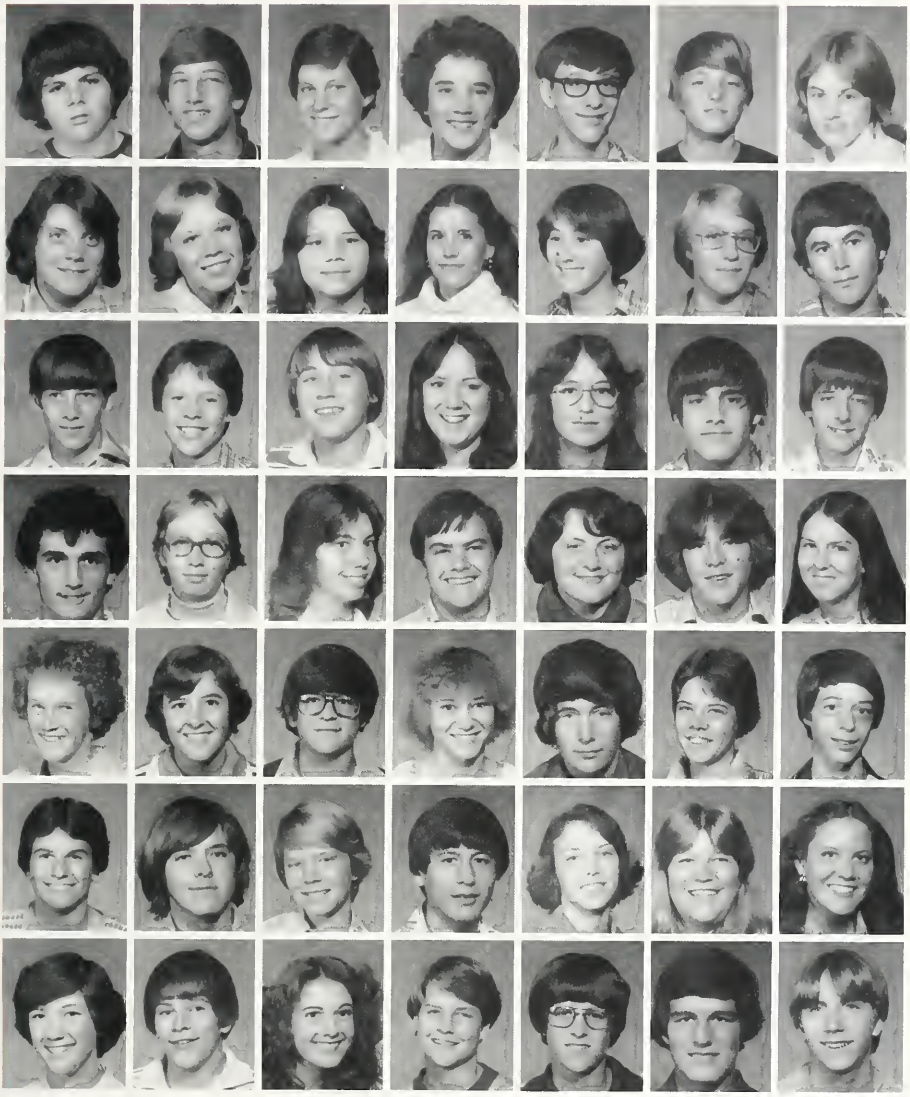
Patty Hinrichsen
Chris Hobbs
Morgan Hobbs
Merkie Hooks
Teresa Hoover
Bill Hosier
Debbie Hunt

Ronnie Hunt
Scott James
Doug Kasamis
Tony Keffaber
Pat Noblock
Dennis Kochenour
James Krom

Tim Vigar, Denise VanPetten, Sally Francis, and Darryl House pose momentarily for the camera in the office.

James LaFerney
Tina Lewis
Scott Long
Scott Lorenz
Robert Macaluso
Jerry McColley
Byron McBrayer

Linda McKee
Mina McKillip
Greg Metz
Mark Meyer
Ed Miller
Charles Mofford
Ronald Nordman



Sam Norwood
Scott Patton
Susan Pefley
Howie Powell
John Powell
Lee Powell
Valerie Pressler

Julie Rate
Angie Reahard
Kristie Reahard
Chris Reed
Rhonda Reed
Laurie Rice
Jeff Richardson

Robbie Samons
Debbie Shear
Derrick Shelton
Gwendolyn Shepherd
Beth Shultz
Bernard Sinclair
Dirk Singer

Jay Smith
Kim Smith
Kim Smith
Myran Smithers
Lisa Snavely
Keith Snyder
Connie Spradlin

Beth Squires
Cindy Stanley
Mike Sweet
Mary Taylor
David Terrel
Tammy Thomson
Scott Titus

Lynnette Tonovitz
Robert Townsend
Beth Treska
Bruce Trump
Mary Tucker
Kelly Tudor
Anne Urschel

Denise VanPetten
Todd Vigar
Beth Wagner
Dawn Weisman
Samuel White
Doug Wilcox
Mark Williams

Robert Winters
Mary Kay Wright
Dewayne Yocum

Anne Urschel looks like she's lost!

Not pictured:
Lois Bone
Ronnie Buchanan
Tammi Fisher
Rick Gamble
Darryl House
Ronnie Jones
David Olmstead
Tim Vigar

Eighth Grade Year Easier

David Applegate
Janelle Baer
Jerry Bauer
Bradley Beals
Ronald Beeks
Brian Benson
Michelle Benson

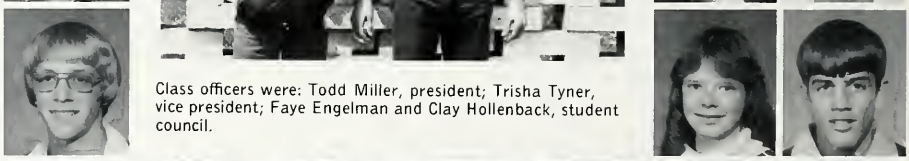
David Bessette
Michelle Bone
Jay Brainard
Melissa Brewer
Susan Bull
Susan Burnsworth
Veronica Butzin

Connie Campbell
Fred Carroll
Randy Carroll

April Cooper
Sheryl Corn
Bryan Cox

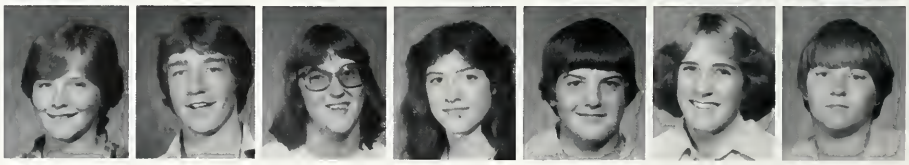
Wayne Cox
Karen Daniels
Bryan Deeter

Douglas Deeter
Teresa Domin
Brett Donaldson



Class officers were: Todd Miller, president; Trisha Tyner, vice president; Faye Engelman and Clay Hollenback, student council.

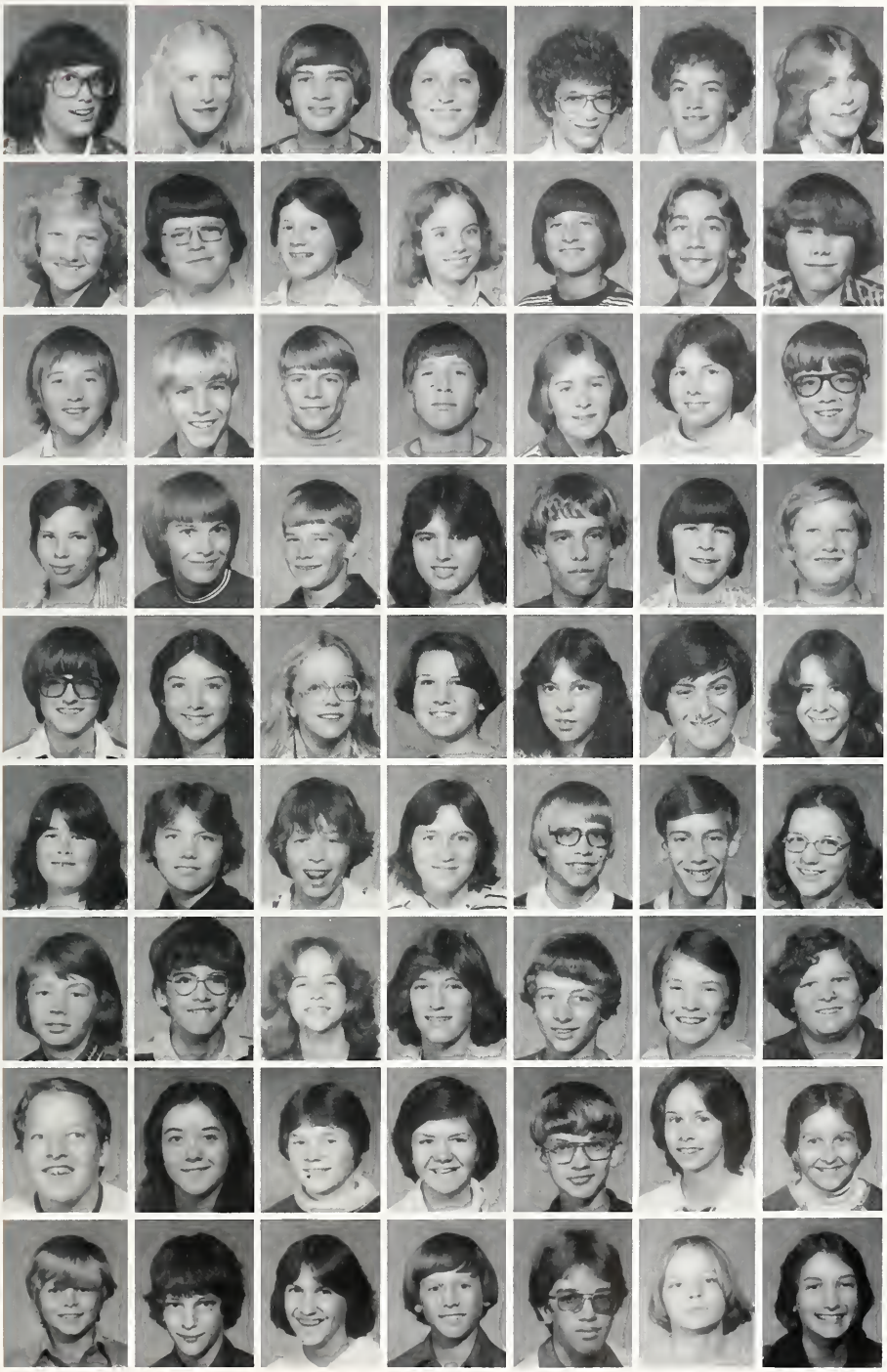
Deanna Driscoll
Tim Dunfee
Sherri Dyer
Faye Engelman
Michael Enser
Kelly Ervin
Luke Ferguson



This year the eighth graders had a more enjoyable fall than they did their first few days as seventh graders. Things like making friends and joining activities came a little more natural and easier.

The class of '83 had one sock hop in February. Their sponsors were Mr. Neale and Mr. Coppler. May 17th was the date of the class party. They all had fun dancing, playing volleyball, and shooting baskets.

The eighth grade class is now looking forward to their first year of high school next year.



Penelope Frank
Diana Frieden
Mike Gardner
Cynthia Gautschi
Casey Gidley
Jodean Gifford
Diane Gray

Rachel Grossman
Paul Gullett
Gina Guttrich
Rhonda Guyer
Robert Haupert
Harland Haupert
Stephen Hawkins

Frank Hayslip
Tim Hinrichsen
Bill Hinrichsen
Kenny Hite
Joyce Hively
Carma Hobbs
Clayton Hollenback

Cathy Hoppes
Henry Joy
Steve Kirtlan
Vicki Knott
Roger Kunkel
Tamara LaFerney
Michael Lauer

Scott Linsburg
Laura Longe
Jenny Mason
Mandy McCammack
Barb McCoy
Brian McNabney
Jane McNeeley

Susie McVoy
Cynthia Miller
John Miller
Mitzi Miller
Steve Miller
Todd Miller
Ami Milton

Donald Music
John Newcomer
Julie O'Dell
Mandy Ogan
Michael Orpurt
Shawn Overman
Richard Palmer

Dick Parker
Juanita Patton
Debra Phillips
Kelli Phillips
Jeff Prater
Kimberly Preston
Beth Proctor

John Proctor
Russell Quillen
Kimberly Quinn
Robert Ringel
Lee Risher
Tim Roberts
Paula Rogers

Dee Ann Schlemmer
Davon Shepherd
Scott Siders
Rhonda Simpson
Richard Simpson
Lisa Smith
Amy Snyder

Joy Southworth
Pamela Spradlin
Teresa Spradlin
Andrew Stefanatos
Mary Stevens
Sandra Sturgill
Carol Swihart

Felicia Terrel
Doug Tester
Tammy Tucker
Trisha Tyner
Jackie Vigar
Cathy Ward
Denise Warford

Tim Weitzel
Rae Jean Weller
Clark Wendt
Lori White
Lori Wilson
Stacie Wolfrum
Kevin Womack

Amanda Wrisk
Tim Wuensch
James Yentes
Roberta Yocum

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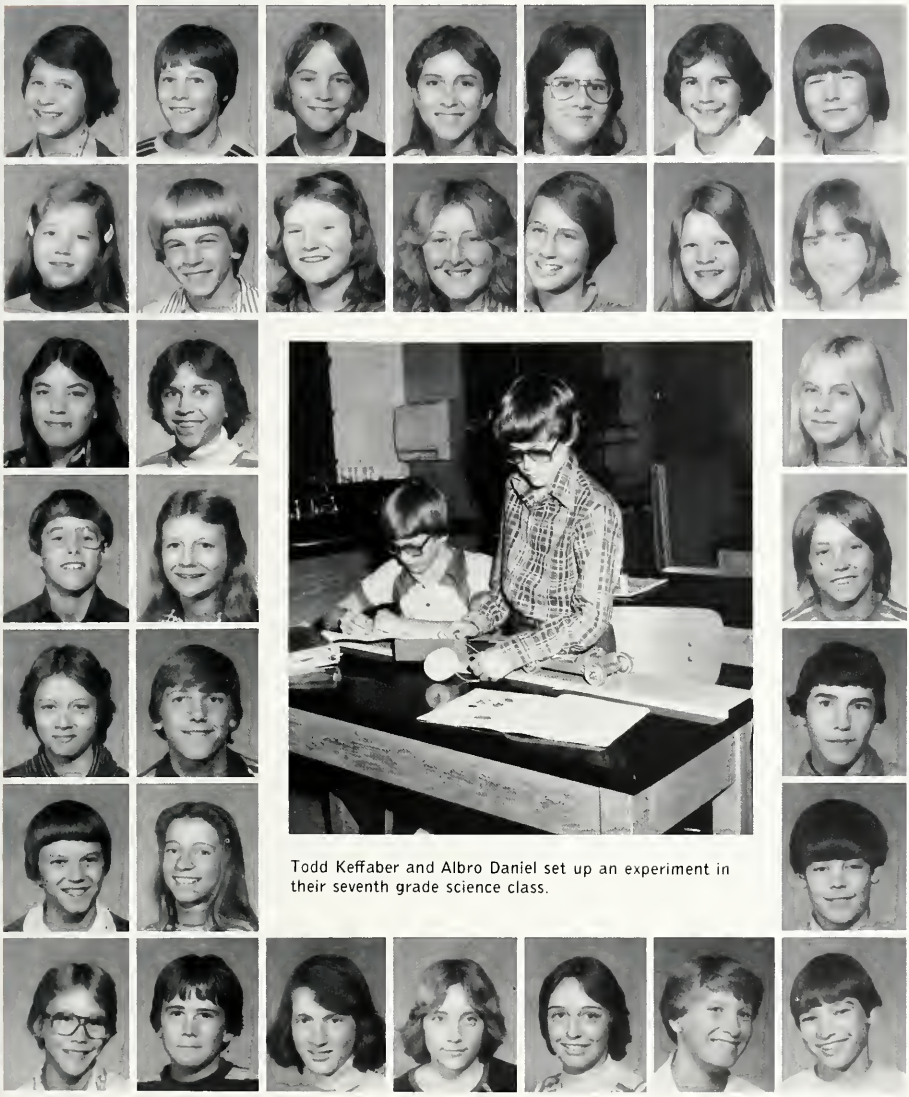
#1. John Miller, Brad Beals, and Duke Deeter count how many FFA dues they have collected.

#2. Jenny Mason, Kim Quinn, and Lee Risher experiment with bunson burners in general science.

#3. Students find time to read the paper in Miss Waggoner's English class.

Seventh Graders Adjust to NHS



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Cameron Baker
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Lori Blanke
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Merlene Buchtel
Lori Calaway
Carol Christie
Lynn Christman

Tammy Clifton
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Cathy Collins

Albro Daniel
Stephanie Davis
Jeff Dillon

Kim Dillon
Mike Dock
Andrew Drook

Tom Dunlay
Cameala Dunphy
Roger Dyson

Tadd Eads
Troy Eads
Becky Eltzroth
Melissa Farmer
Shelly Fearnow
Tracy Ferguson
Pat Fox

Todd Keffaber and Albro Daniel set up an experiment in their seventh grade science class.

The seventh grade class of '78-'79 participated in many sports and activities. These included football, basketball, spelling bees, track, and junior high clubs. Sonia Sturgill placed first in the spelling bee. The class' sports records were: football 4-1-1, boys' basketball 2-12, girls' basketball 2-6, and volleyball 4-2. Even though they did not have a class party, the seventh graders enjoyed the sockhops after games. This year they did not have any class officers. Now that they have completed one full year at NHS, many are looking forward to their next five years here.

Rachelle Gamsby
Riley Gamsby
Joy Gibson
Debbie Goodpaster
Julie Grandstaff
Howard Halderman
Billy Hall

Donna Hall
Gary Hapner
Paula Hapner
Darrin Harvey
Lisa Hashbarger
Leslie Hawkins
Angie Helvey

Kristina Hobbs
Marthlene Hosier
Patricia Hug
Cathy Hunt
Zora Hooks
Jennie James
Christoph Johnson

Clayton Jones
Todd Keffaber
Jon Keppel
Angie Kerr
Joe King
Mark Kitchen
Brenda LaFerney

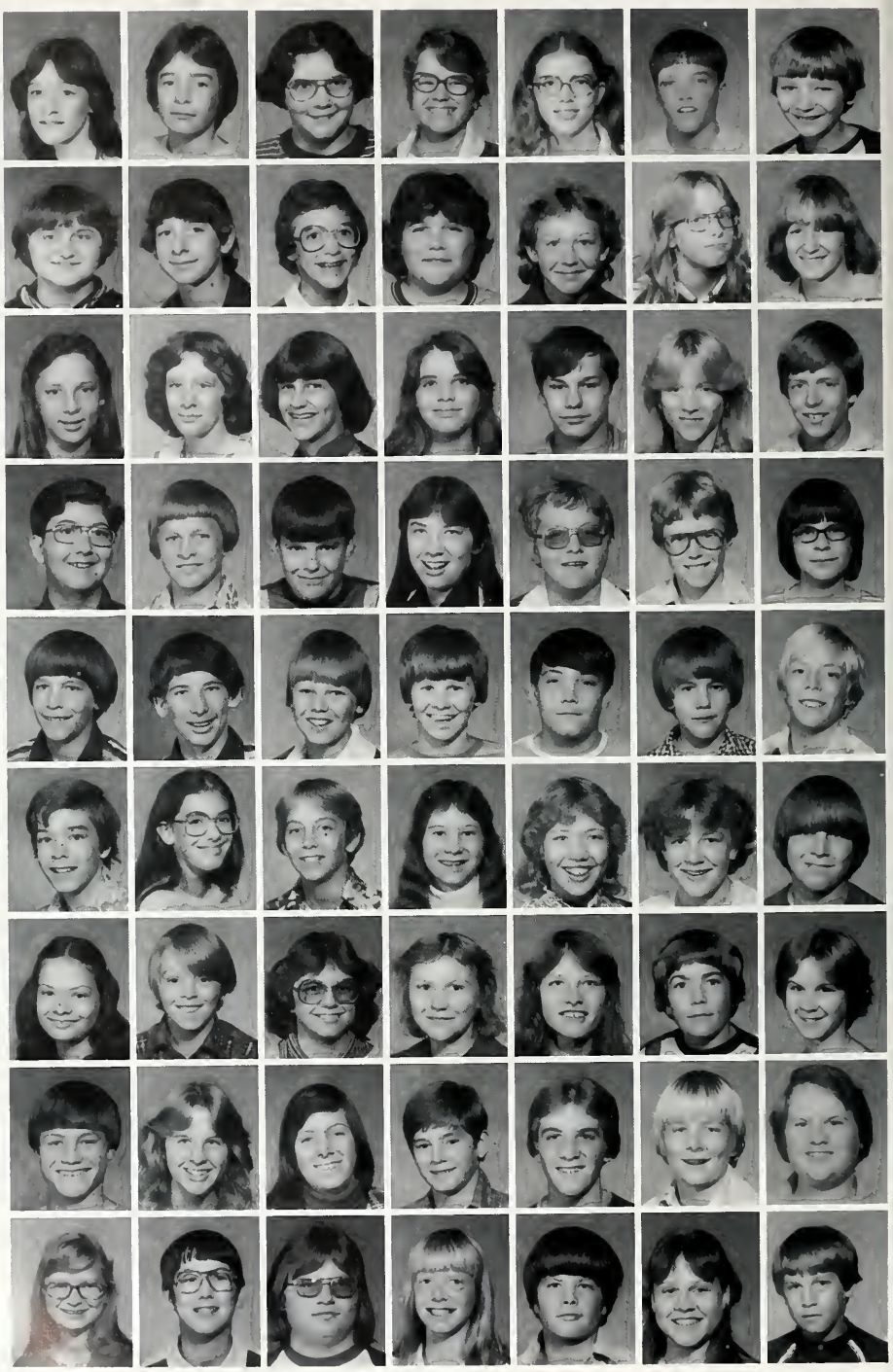
Bryan LaFerney
Randy Leach
Robbie Lewis
Andrew Lindzy
Jeff Losher
Fred Lucas
William Mabee

David Mason
Michela McCammack
Wayne Meek
Tina Meyer
Barbara Miller
Sheryl Miller
Bobby Miracle

Angie Murray
Gary Music
Karin Ogan
Martha Owen
Rosalee Parker
Steven Payne
Paula Pepple

Randy Petitt
Debbie Pressler
Jill Rate
Bryan Reed
Jay Reed
Mike Rees
Brenda Resler

Angela Reiken
Craig Ringel
James Schaaf
Karen Schultz
Todd Shear
Adrena Shelton
Todd Slee



Kathy Smith
Thomas Robert Smith
Lisa Snapp
Jacquelin Snyder
Amy Squires
Herman Staton
Brian Stellar

Donny Stevens
Everette Stiddom
Joe Strange
Sonia Sturgill
Lisa Tackett
Elizabeth Taylor
Kristi Taylor

Toni Thompson
Diana Townsend
William Tudor
Denise Wall
Kevin Warnock
Sally Weesner
Diane Weitzel

Valerie Wilcox
Angie Wilson
Eric Wilson
Brian Womack
Kathy Woodward
Kris Woodward
Kenny Working

Not pictured:
Meredith Eltzroth

Lynnette Wright

Santa's little helpers, Mike Dock, Jimmy Bricker, and Toni Dunphy lend a helping hand in trimming the tree.

It looks like Sonia Sturgill and Becky Eltzroth have taken up a new hobby!

Cooks and Janitors Appreciated

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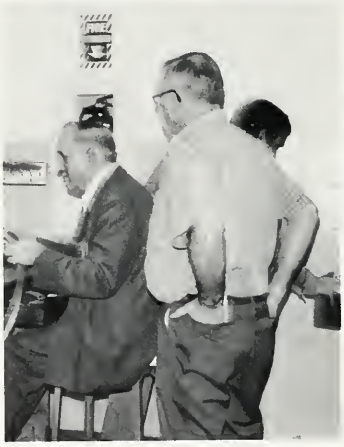
At around 11:00 a.m., one might think school has been let out early. Students scurry down the halls with growling stomachs and ask, "What are we having for lunch?" Often the answer just brings a sigh, but when "pizza" is announced students race to the cafeteria and lines are long.

Most students consider lunch the highlight of the day, but that isn't the main action in the lunchroom! Cooks were: Shirley Keaffaber, Phyllis Meyer, Cecile Pritchard, Judy Rhoades, Betty Tackett, Mary L. Titus, Sharon Singer and Carolyn Vrooman, head cook. (1)

The custodians for this year were: Ed Lewis, head custodian, Mary Brewer, Pat Collins, Gary Coburn, Francis Harris, Tony Hunt and John Rose. They were busy checking room temperatures, mowing lawns, sweeping halls, fixing lawns and working through the summer. They should be commended for doing a great job . . . especially tearing stickers off lockers.



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2. Mr. Ed Lewis and his co-workers work hard keeping the school neat . . . especially after basketball games!

3. Mrs. Mary J. Schultz left NHS after several years as head cook.

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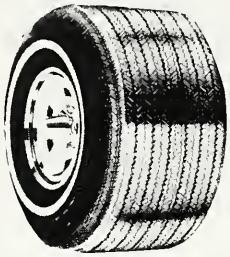

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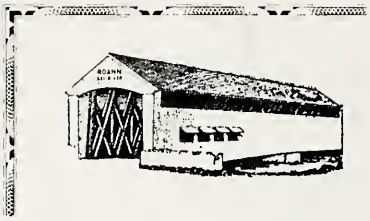

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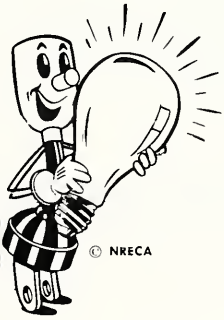

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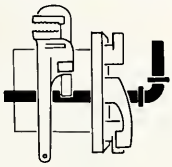

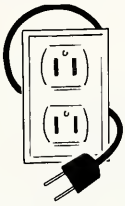

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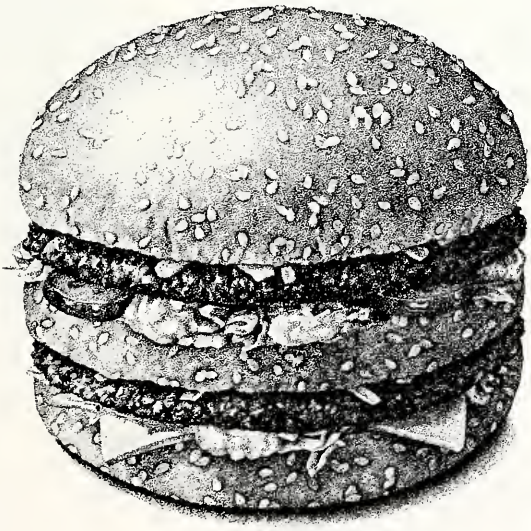

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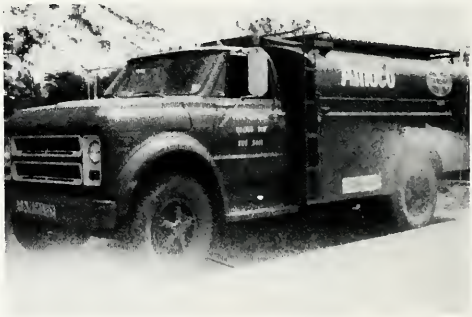

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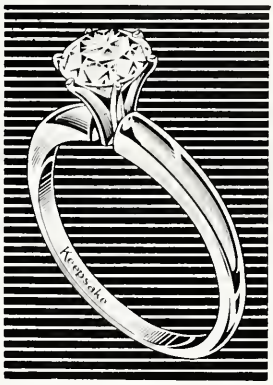

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#1. Assembled together for a group shot are the people who went to New York.

#2. Amy Clark tries on a new hat at the Brooks-Van Horn Costume Company.

#3. While touring Greenwich Village, the group met and talked with Arthur Marks.

#4. Reed Shelton, the star of "Annie," talks to the Art and Drama Club members during their week stay in New York.

#5. Mr. Groover, David McKenzie, and Nancy Plummer meet outside of the Lincoln Center, a performing arts complex.

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Drama, Art Clubs Visit New York

In June, members of the Drama and Art Clubs flew to New York for a week. The group resided at the Edison Hotel just off Times Square. Four Broadway productions were seen: "Annie", "Their Playin' Our Song", "Whose Life Is It Anyway?", and "I'm Gettin' My Act Together." The group also had three seminars with actors and production stage managers along with a backstage visit on the set of "DA". They toured Greenwich Village, visited an art museum, the Statue of Liberty, and Radio City Music Hall.

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The Year At A Glance:

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After 156 pages, some 470 pictures, captions, unidentified faces, and unending copy to write, we, the co-editors of the 1979 Shield, do hereby declare ourselves in states of permanent disorder and physical deterioration, along with being tea-aholics and chocolate cornflake cookie freaks. We now dedicate our minds, bodies, and kidneys to medical research to discover the motive behind that never-ending desire to produce a fantastic, flawless, and "far-out and funky" yearbook.

Now the serious part . . . We wish to thank all those people who made it possible—Thank You! Mr. Werking, thanks for all the pictures and your unending patience with us. To our families: we couldn't have done it without you, your support, and your typing skills! Kathryn Tiede, you were the MVP of the Shield staff with your pictures. Jeff Draper, thanks for all the help on the ads, indexing, and identifying. Last, but not least, we thank Mrs. Kitt for constant concern and help she gave us. We'll never forget those nights we were up into the wee hours of the morning typing and drawing up finals to meet a deadline the next day.

We now leave a little wiser, more patient, and less naive. To whoever gets this job next year . . . good luck, don't go crazy, watch the iced tea, those late nights, and beware of the "foreign film." But most of all, DON'T GIVE UP!

Our love to you all,

Lisa & Ruth